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Fire Destroys Family Home

The home of the Ella Sanders family went up in flames Wednesday afternoon as the results of pouring gasoline into a stove. The home on Tucker Avenue was in flames when firemen arrived.

Donnie Sanders, son of Ella Sanders told The Elba Clipper that he was pouring some gas from a jug into the stove when the flames caught up and "came back into the jug". Sanders said it blew the bottom out of the jug and burned his hand. He then dropped the jug and the flames went in every direction. Another youth with him attempted to put out the fire and Sanders ran to call the fire department.

All the family's possessions were destroyed in the blaze. The Human Resources office in Elba was attempting to help Mrs. Sanders set up housekeeping again at press time.

Zion Chapel To Get New School

Coffee County Superintendent of Education Jimmy Baker announced Friday that funds totaling $184,384.34 have been obtained through state bonds, and that the money will be applied toward the construction of a new elementary school at Zion Chapel.

The new structure will house grades 1-6, and will consist of 12 classrooms and a media-center. The media-center will include a library, a visual-aids room, and an office. The building will be centrally air-conditioned and heated. The building will be designed so that future expansion will be possible.

The site of the new structure has not yet been determined, but a site will be chosen as soon as the architects finish their present surveys. A possible site that has been mentioned is one behind the building that currently houses the elementary classes.

Plans were submitted to the state, but were returned with a few minor recommendations. The changes have been made by the architects, and the plans will be re-submitted. County officials expect the revised plans to get immediate approval.

A date has not yet been determined for actual construction to begin, but plans are for the new structure to be completed in time for use during the 1977-78 school year.

City Council Hears Request For Funds

The Elba City Council met Tuesday night with all present but Councilman Virgil Coleman who is just out of the hospital. It was reported that Coleman planned to return to work later this week.

The council meeting lasted until after ten p.m. but little or no action was taken other than paying bills for the past month. However, the council did hear requests for funds, reports from the mayor, city clerk and police chief.

Superintendent Elmer Taylor met with the council and requested $30,000 a year appropriation from the city. He indicated this was to pay three teachers the system would loose without the funds. Taylor told the city officials of the loss of some federal programs, the drop in enrollment due to the county's cutting down the area served by the Elba system a couple of years ago.

Taylor said, "We don't have the best school system in the state, but we are working toward that."

The council told Taylor the matter would be on the agenda for the next meeting and he should have an answer by July 1st.

The council discussed the closing of Rainbow Drive because of the road conditions and no one lived on the road. No action was taken but the police chief was instructed to look into the matter.

The council authorized Mayor Sawyer and City Clerk Jack Prescott to check into purchasing a surplus of army barracks from Ft. Rucker. They are to buy one if the cost is below $300. It will be used to extend warehouse space at the city barn.

The rash of false fire alarms at the Elba General Hospital was brought to the attention of the city council. Prescott reported that since December the fire department had answered eight false alarms to the hospital at a direct cost to the city of $782 - as firemen get payed on fires or false alarms. Efforts are being made to get the alarm system adjusted.

Charles Hayes III reported on the progress of the medical clinic committee. He noted that a new doctor would be in Elba in September and plans to build a clinic for him are underway. Hayes told the city fathers that as soon as anything concrete was decided by the committee, they would be immediately informed.

A request for parking a house trailer is being investigated. They were presented a schedule of salaries on each employee and this will be reviewed at a later meeting.

Chief Johnston reported that the State of Alabama is moving forward with plans to open a work release center in Elba next month. The official announcement will be made on June 9th in Montgomery.

Johnston also reported that accidents had dropped 25% during the past month, in spite of having four on one rainy day.

A letter was read by Prescott from Mr. W. L. Brunson thanking the city for cleaning a drainage ditch that relieved a potential flooding problem at his home in Brookdale.

Bills totaling $5,385.01 were approved by the council for payment.

Swimmign To Be Taught At Pools

Free beginner swimming lessons will begin on Tuesday, June 8 at 5:00 p.m. at both city pools. These lessons are for children in grades 1, 2, and 3 of the 1975-76 school year. They will be taught by qualified instructors.

Children may be registered at the Pea River Pool or the Mulberry Heights Pool on Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week-June 3, 4, and 5

Dorsey Promotes Executives



LOGAN

The materials requirements planning program at Dorsey Trailers' plant here has been of two executives recently announced by George L. Collier, President.

Roy Belcer has been made Vice President-Planning and Engineering and will head up the MRP program, which is designed to improve customer service and manufacturing efficiency. Before the reassignment, he was Vice President-Engineering and Manufacturing.

Dave Logan was elevated from Director of Manufacturing to Vice President-Manufacturing with full responsibility for production operations at the Elba plant.

Collier said the assumption of total manufacturing supervision by Logan will enabel Belcer to devote more time initially to bringing the MRP program into full operation and to do the long range planning necessary for the future growth of the company. Development work on the MRP program has been under way for about a year.

Since the introduction of computerized procedures for industries, MRP has emerged as a management technique that integrates the input of data by the sales, engineering, production and purchasing departments to achieve comprehensive control of material inventories and purchasing, as well as scheduling of plant machinery and equipment.



BELCER

Three Youths Guilty Of Trespassing

Three Elba youths plead guilty to trespassing Tuesday as an outgrowth of charges filed by Elba police when the three were found inside a vacant house in Kennedy Estates. The three are also charged with destroying private property, but law officers indicate these charges will probably be dropped when the youths pay for the damages to the house.

The three youths who plead guilty to the trespassing and paid fines are Larry Caldwell, age 15, Tony Burks, age 16 and Johnny Lee Lockett age 16. Caldwell could have been transfered to juvenile court, but his parents chose to plead guilty and pay the fine in city court.

Truck Turns Over Tuesday On Hwy. 134

A one vehicle accident Tuesday afternoon was investigated by State Trooper Ronnie Whitworth. The 1974 truck driven by David Russell Burson of Chickasaw, Alabama overturned on Highway 134 near Perry's Store. Burson told Whitworth that he ran off the shoulder of the road, hit a hole and the truck overturned. He was traveling West when the accident occured.

The truck was owned by Sealy Posterepedic Mattress Co. of Mobile.

Agents Attend Convention In Spain

Charles W. Baker, William C. Allen, Robert H. Senn, Sr., and Edward Bess of Mutual Savings Life Insurance Company's Elba District Policyholders' Service Office have just returned from a combined business/convention meeting at the Atalaya Park Hotel and Golf Club in Marbella, Costa del Sol, Spain.

They were accompanied by their wives and other Mutual Saving Life Field leaders. The invitations were extended on the basis of outstanding sales records by Senior Vice President and Agency Director Roy A. Chandler.

Chandler stated that all of the Elba District Policyholders' Service Office employees are to be commended for their excellent record of growth and progress during the past year.

Speed Reading To Be Taught

An Executive Speed Reading, Time Management, and Student Speed-Learning Seminar for Businessmen, women, and college bound students in grades 8-12 will be taught at Opp High School on June 22nd, 24th, 29th, and July 1st from 7:00-9:30 p.m. These classes will be held on the campus of Opp High and are open to all interested adults and college bound students. The sponsors for this seminar ate the First National Bank of Opp, and Opp High School.

The instructor for the course will be Professor Charlie W. Parker, Ed. S., Director of the Reading and Motivation Center at Troy State University. The course emphasizes speed learning, time management, and increased efficiency.

The Reading Center at TSU has gained national recognition under the leadership of Professor Parker. Mr. Parker is in demand as a reading consultant and motivator throughout the U.S. and Canda. He has several publications including, "Who Motivates the Motivator?"

The business community and students should call 493-3581 (First Nat'l Bank) to make reservations early, sign up at the First National Bank, in Opp or register at the first session of the seminar. No prerequisite is required for registration. Make up sessions will be held at 6:15 each night before the regular session for anyone having a conflict. The cost of this program is only $50 for the entire course.

Daylily Walk Attracts People From Wide Area



Mrs. Bessie Bullard In Her Beautiful Yard



Ladies Serve Punch Sunday Afternoon



Mrs. Bullard Shows One Of 1300 Varieties She Grooms



Mr. & Mrs. Elmer Taylor View Flowers



Senior Citizens Visit Museum

Mrs. Addie Lou Taylor, of Elba H.R.D.C. Center, and [illegible] Bryant, Assistant Administrator of Elba Nursing Home, combined their senior citizens for a tour of the Pike County museum in Troy on Wednesday, May 26.

For the occasion, three lady volunteers transported the group to Troy.

Making the trip were: Mrs. M. W. Johnson, Mrs. Joy Brooks and son, Ray, and Mrs. Nickie Junright, all volunteers; Mrs. Rena Mae Smith, Mrs. Nettie Phillips, Mrs. Gladys Tucker, Mrs. Lela Johnson, Mrs. Marie Henderson, Mrs. Anna Stoudmire, Miss Debra Stoudmaire, Mrs. Lillie Johnson, Mrs. Lena Fuller, Mrs. Johnnie Bell Berry, Mrs. Minnie Davis, Mrs. Lucille Morrow, Mr. John Rushing, Mrs. Emma Hall, Mrs. Leona Wise, Mrs. Elizabeth Mock. Not pictured were: Mrs. Beatrice Brooks and Mrs. Etta Crocker.

POOR ORIGINAL

BRAINSTORMS
With Farrin Cox

Saturday was my day to go fishing and "a fishing I did go." Sitting there on that boat thinking about the fish I should be catching, my eyes would come to rest on some of the beautiful sights of nature. I naturally enjoyed the outdoors and this time of the year is to me the best time to observe animals, birds, flowers and the outdoors in general. The sight of a red headed woodpecker feeding its young or a hen duck setting on a nest of eggs and the real beauty of lily pads in full bloom are all sights to behold. I remember sitting in a boat one day with my two oldest children and watching a hen duck with a little one paddling around trying to hide from us humans. Those ducks were in Coffee County Lake, yet so many of our citizens haven't the faintest idea just how much pleasure there is for both adults and children to see such beauties of nature. They think you can only see them in a Walt Disney film.

The Speaking Out letters this week take me to task from both directions. I don't actually go out hunting a quarrel with anyone but when I do write something that our readers disagree with, I welcome their views even when they decline to sign the letters. I probably don't do things right even half the time but when I get criticized for both doing to much and for not doing enough - all at the same time -- I must be in the mainstream. This country wasn't built by mainstreamers but it is sure a safe, comfortable place to be.

The New Brockton PTO met a couple of weeks ago with a fourth grade class in charge of the program. The children performed to a full house of parents. The children performed "Pass The Torch" was well prepared and it was apparent that the students and teachers had put a lot of effort into the program. I didn't know any of the children but enjoyed the program.

The Elba police have been getting some flak during the past few weeks because of their use of the radar guns to check speeds. However, the work has apparently paid off - a 25% drop in accidents during the month of May. We all get in a hurry but if we have an accident because we wanted to save a half a minute or so, the many minutes of filling our accident reports will cause us to be even later in reaching our destination.

The Elba City Council was asked Tuesday night for a $30,000 appropriation to the Elba schools. Now I ain't trying to decide if they should or should not give this much or any money to the school but . . . . I feel one of the excuses for not giving an answer was a bit weak. One comment heard was, "We don't know how much the new 4% sales tax will bring into the city." My simple mind thinks that if you are getting a one percent and change to two percent then you get twice as much money. With this amount of money in mind I believe the council can look at things and decide if they can afford to help the school system.

GOING UNDER?



TIME FOR PEOPLE TO SEE RED

U.S. government growth is threatening to swamp the nation in a sea of red ink and to strangle it in bureaucratic red tape. This mixed metaphor may be overly simplistic economics, but in this combination Presidential election year and Bicentennial of our nation's birth it has never been more important for all of us to "see the red" and to support those public figures who stand for reduced government spending and the elimination of unnecessary government intervention into the ways we work and live.

The red ink is easy to document. In fiscal year 1967, the national debt was $341.3 billion. Because of a deficit every year except one since that time, the deficit total reached $544.1 billion in 1975 and is expected to reach $633.9 billion in 1976 and $719.5 billion in 1977. If citizens ran their household budgets the way Washington runs the Federal budget, we would all go bankrupt.

Our country is being over-taxed, over-governed, over-regulated and over-whelmed. While the total number of employed people in the country dropped during 1975, federal, state and local payrolls rose by half a million persons. More than 60,000 federal workers are on the payrolls of regulatory agencies. There is no precise way to measure the regulatory burden on people and business, though it's estimated at over $60 billion a year.

A company that becomes inefficient and unwieldly soon corrects its mistakes or loses out to the competition. But inefficiency in government will go on unchecked until elected officials understand that we, the people, want a government that lives within its income and operates efficiently.

KISSINGER'S AFRICAN POLICY ASININE

Although I've seen our State Department do some questionable things over the years--the current negotiations to surrender the Panama Canal, for instance -- I never cease to be amazed at the asinine actions of the "miracle workers from foggy bottom." Latest example--unwarranted meddling in the affairs of several pro-western, anti-communist nations.

This past week Secretary of State Henry Kissinger visited Africa and issued a "message of commitment and cooperation." This message contained some of the most absurd and anti-U. S. suggestions for supporting revolution in Africa, under the guise of "African unity" and "racial justice."

For instance, Kissinger's commitment that he "will urge the Congress this year to repeal the Byrd Amendment" which authorizes Rhodesian chrome imports to the U. S, despite U.N. sanctions to the contrary. Congress has spoken on this matter and repeated attempts to repeal the amendment have been beaten back.

Is Secretary Kissinger not aware that Russia would probably become the major supplier to the U. S. of this vital defense-related metal and probably at a higher price if past experiences are any indication, when we stop trade with Rhodesia?

Should we depend on an adversary rather than a friend for this indispensible material?

Additionally, Kissinger has denied any U. S. responsibility for U. S. citizens in Rhodesia. To me, this irresponsible action invites political instability and sacrifices Americans in Rhodesia to the whims of militant radicals.

But, even more absurd is the Secretary's proposal to give $12.5 million in aid to the marxist, communist, government of Mozambique because of economic hardships it may have suffered from closing its border with Rhodesia. He would also have the U. S. give aid to any neighboring African countries which would impose sanctions against Rhodesia's "white minority government."

In other words, Kissinger says he will ask the U. S. Congress and the American taxpayers to openly support a marxist, communist government which is already receiving aid from China and Russia, and help to overthrow the pro-western, anti-communist government of Rhodesia. But that's not all. He is also encouraging the realignment of the government of South-West Africa (a protectorate of South Africa) and the pro-western, anti-communist government of South Africa itself.

I believe it would be sheer folly for the U. S. to follow Secretary Kissinger's suggestions for intervening in African affairs. I, for one, will never vote one dime to aid a marxist government against our Rhodesian and South Africa friends and I will vigorously oppose any attempts to repeal the Byrd Amendment. Our loyalty is to the U. S., not the U. N. and our State Department leaders should remember that.

Work Conference On Veteran's Affairs To Be Held

A Work Conference of the Alabama Department of Veterans Affairs will be held in Montgomery, Alabama, June 16, 17, and 18, according to Hollman Taylor Veterans Service Officer for Coffee County. Hollman stated that his office in Elba would be closed during these three days.

The Conference is designed as a school of instruction for all employees of the Department. The three days will be packed full with sessions covering every phase in the field of veterans affairs and in other areas in which Veterans Service Officers are often called upon for assistance and advice.

The Director of the Veterans Administration in Montgomery, Wiley H. Parkman, accompanied by heads of all divisions in the local VA Regional Office will available for question and answer discussions, as well as the Directors and their staff of all the VA Hospitals in Alabama.

Subjects which will be presented include: pension and compensation, insurance, G.I. loans, hospital and medical care, education and training for veterans and for their wives widows and children.

The entire Conference will be under the supervision of Walter C. Head, Jr., Director of the Alabama Department of Veterans Affairs, who stated "the continued success of the veterans' programs in Alabama, which amounted to more than $336 million during 1975 to Alabama's economy, is largely dependent upon a corps of well-informed Veterans Service Officers at the local level, and this Work Conference will enable Mr. Taylor to be better prepared to serve the veterans and their dependents in his county."

Mr. Taylor will return to his office in Elba Tuesday, May 22.

Two Students From Elba To Graduate From Auburn

Auburn University will graduate a total of 1,852 from its two campuses in June, setting records for both campuses and also bringing the 4, 629 total for the academic year to a record high.

Commencement on the main campus will be at 2:00 P.M. in Memorial Coliseum on June 8.

A special commencement for the School of Veterinary Medicine will be held on June 4 in the union Ballroom where 108 will be awared Doctor of Veterinary Medicine degrees

Those from Elba who will be graduating or; Jane Donaldson, Bachelor of Science in Home Economics; Grover Tolbert Jacobs, Doctor of Education.

BULLETIN BOARD
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AA Meeting 7:00 p.m. each Thursday at the hospital.

Elba City School Board - 1st Thursday night at 7:00.

BPW meets the 2nd Monday of each month.

NCOA - each 4th Friday night at 7:00 at Holley's

The Pilot Club will meet on 2nd & 4th Thursday of each month at 7:00 at the Big R.

American Legion meets 1st Tuesday at Legion Home at 7:00.

Water & Electric Board - 2nd Tuesday of each month at 6:00 p.m. at City Hall.

Weight Watchers new meeting place - Courthouse Court Room at 7:30 p.m. each Tuesday.

The HRDC Office on Putman Street invites participation in the ceramic & sewing classes each Wednesday afternoon.

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SPEAKING OUT

Editor Criticized By Readers Left And Right

Dear Mr. Cox:

I think, in fact, I know, that the flagrant display of favoritism, bias, and prejudice reported in last week's CLIPPER was the most sickening one I can recollect.

If anyone besides Russ Cash, for instance a son of a non-school board member, had been involved in the ludicrous egging, he would have been in jail (or black and blue from a spanking) as of yet. Russ Cash (and don't get me wrong; the others are no saints) should have had his rear end beaten as soon as he was caught; and his father, if he were the man he should be, would have unaugurated (sic) further punishment on both his sons upon their arrival home. Russ, however, being the oldest and the most outstanding member of the "Young Vandals," was obviously the ring leader. This does not by any means validate that the others be ignored. The act was absolutely barbaric and totally unnecessary. If the boys had had a disagreement with Coach Nolen, a calm, intelligent discussion would have proved far more beneficial and far less moronic. And then, to have the editor of the newspaper, of all people, to all but condone the act, saying that Russ was intelligent and mature .... well his act really proved that the "Brainstorms" article was an outrage, to say the least, and a cut-and-dried case of sheer contradiction to the article and photograph that followed. Why, pray tell, Mr. Cox, didn't you just condone the other boys while you were at it, to show in more than one way that you actually LIKE egg-throwing.

The stupid act the boys committed was an apparent result of a lack of discipline on the parts of their parents. I'm sure, however, that the humiliation the article undoubtedly produced is ample punishment for the parents and their egos, despite the praise you, Mr. Cox, gave Russ for his "gallant" act.

I hope your write-up on him was meant as a satire; surely a man in your position doesn't really MEAN the things he said.

The young people of our somewhat delicate society should be shown AND told right from wrong. I'm sure if Mr. Russell Cash, member of the school board, fine citizen and father, can raise TWO sons to throw eggs on houses, he can initiate a working program to correct juvenile delinquency. And perhaps Mr. Rogers and Mr. Gibson would like to join him in this effort.

A CONCERNED CITIZEN

EDITOR'S NOTE: I fully respect the American right to express opinions. This basic freedom is the very root of this newspaper's existence. However, after reading CONCERNED's letter, I am convinced that here is a person who has more than a passing dislike for Mr. Russell Cash and is taking these frustrations out on four teenage boys, one of whom happens to bear the same name.

As for your statement that anyone else would have been in jail as of yet (?) you must be kidding! Elba, Alabama is not a police state. Misdemeanors are not normally jailable offensives in this community. A person, regardless of his so called social standing, is allowed to sign his own bond and in the case of minors, their parents are asked to come down and sign them. Just this week, 3 black youths were charged with trespassing and were sent home to tell their parents to come sign the bonds, which they did - this is the way everyone is treated in Elba.

Your mention of barbaric acts but in America police officers don't administer physical punishment on children because that is considered barbaric. Any punishment a parent inaugurated is up to the parents and neither you nor I have any reason to know anything about it.

Now you attack the editor for saying Russ Cash impressed me as fine young man. I deny that I condoned egg throwing by anyone or that it was a case of "sheer contradiction." Read it again and you will see in your fit of anger that you missed my statement of "in spite of this one foot-slipping case." You are assuming that the write-up on Russ was "satire," well, Webster says that means "a literary work holding up human vices and follies to ridicule or scorn." Well, thanks for calling my "Brainstorms" a literary work but I must disappoint you by saying that I meant every work of it from my heart!

Your letter is consistent in indicating everything about the matter was handled wrong and the youths patted on their backs until you write that the humiliation produced "ample punishment." I am sure you have made one good point here even though to me it strengthens my opinion that you have a strong dislike for a man and are trying to take it out on his children. For another view, read the next letter.

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To Whom It May Concern:

As of this date I would like my subscription to the Elba Clipper cancelled, Mrs. James T. Rogers, P. O. Box 382, Elba, Alabama 36323; also my daughters, Deborah Rogers, 4132 Carmichael Road, Fieldcrest Apts. #750, Montgomery, Alabama.

Thank you.
Sincerely,
Mrs. James T. Rogers/s

EDITOR'S NOTE: This is the other side of the coin with ye ole editor being in the middle. OK, Mrs. Rogers (Jean, if I may) we will comply with your wishes after you get this issue. Frankly, I was a bit surprised at your actions even though I have learned to expect anything from people. I have sat in Sunday School and heard sermonettes on many matters and have at other times had you praise us for actions we took in this newspaper that maybe someone else disliked. I honestly thought you would be one of the last to take such actions to express your feelings.

We have had people cancel subscriptions before and later "cool off" or decide we ain't so bad after all and just hope in time to come you will have a change of heart.

P.S. Deborah's subscription expired April 26 of this year.

AROUND ALABAMA
RUBY
Ruby Folsom Austin



MAKING HAYS

Well, sir, didn't ole Rep. Hays get himself into a nasty pickle? You know the old saying, "Hell hath no fury like a woman scorned." So here comes a pretty thing on the TODAY show to say that Hays was paying her $14,000 yearly for granting him "favors" (nowadays, bluntly called sex). So why air such accusations right now? Well, right now is soon after Hays married his back-home sec. (he'd already shed wife No. 1), making the "woman scorned" angle seem likely. And just to add some fury, this mistress quite contrarily says the affair didn't end with Hays new marriage. No indeedy, she's granted him "favors" since, and true or not, that sure must have put a cloud over Hays' honeymoon! Actually, what Hays is supposed to have done is far from new. Politicians aren't usually millionaires so the only way to bustow money on a mistress is with a cushy job. Shucks, I've been around politics long enough to know what happens even at state levels. It's downright classic!

I just do not believe that the average butchers, bakers and candlestick makers are half as amoral as politicians or general. Maybe it's an ego thing and they get to thinking they're above plain old moral values.

First Wilbur Mills turns out to be a swinger, supposedly Kennedy was an alley-cat... now Rep. Hays, and even some stories about Franklin D. Well, I'm predicting a lot more smut will come to light. Why? Because, when a girl gets money and fame (look at Wilbur's Fannie) from revealing intimacies, then others may look to the dubious rewards of telling all. Proving affairs with highly respected officials may be downright lucrative. And the wilder and more improbable the affair, the more details will be sought by the news media.

Myra Herself

Awhile back I mentioned a terrific new book, "The Power Lovers" by Myra McPherson. Well, Myra popped in town this week to interview George and Cornelia Wallace for the Washington Post and I spent a delightful evening with her. Myra's book is an expose of politicians' abuse of power and their amoral dalliances. Naturally, I asked her about the Hays story.

It seems that insiders have been onto Hays' use of the women in his office for sometime. Two years ago, while writing her book; Myra actuall tried to get Hays' now-scorned mistress, Elizabeth Ray, to talk. But, all Miss Ray would say at that time was how wonderful ole Hays was, almost like a grandfather to her, and she just could not undrestand why people thought him a sex symbol. Now her story is that she never liked him but was simply in need of money!

Myra went on to say that the real question will be whether the girl did any office work at all. Further, Hays colleagues in congress seem to be closing ranks around him. But, Hays is noted as being such an abuser of little people, etc., and such a bully, using his position of power to shore up an inferiority complex, that many in Washington are delighted to see him squirming. The Post has been deluged with anonymous calls saying Hay exposure is only the top of the icebery. Whatever the outcome, the current D.C. joke about the affair is a lulu: Wayne Hays has a "staff" infection!

Y'all come
RUBY

Coffee County Health News
Kenneth R. Ball

Today I would like to inform the citizens of Coffee County of the WIC Program which is administered through the Coffee County Health Departments in both the Enterprise and Elba offices.

W I C stands for Women, Infants and Children. WIC is a Nutritional Research Program for Pregnant Women, Infants and Children under the age of five years. To be eligible for this program you must be a resident of Coffee County, pregnant, an infant or a child under age five. This is not necessarily a program for the low income group however, they do qualify as well if found to be medically indigent or at a nutritional risk. Anyone who fits into one of the above categories and would like to determine whether you qualify for this program should come into the Health Department nearest you.

The WIC Team for Coffee County consists of one Registered Nurse, Mrs. Rita Hughley, a Program Coordinator for Coffee and Geneva Counties, Mrs. Ann Edwards, two secretaries, Mrs. Kaye Whitworth and Mrs. Sherry Newsome, a Home Health Aide Mrs. Cindy Woodruff.

One of the determining factors for eligibility is a blood test, the Nurse will do a Micro-Hematocrit determination to check the content of iron in your blood. If the hematocrit is low you will qualify for the supplemental high protein foods that are made available to each participant through a State Contract with one of your local grocery stores.

Another determining factor for eligibility is a growth pattern study by qualified personnel, low birth weight is a determining factor, as well as diet.

If it is determined by our staff that a person does qualify he or she will be enrolled in the program and will be issued a set of food vouchers for redemption at a designated store in that town. An infant who qualifies will be furnished cereal, fruit juice and formula, the parent or guardian will take the food voucher once each month and redeem it for the high protein foods. A pregnant woman or child that qualifies will receive a set of four food vouchers, with instructions to redeem one each week. Their high protein food consists of whole milk, cheese, eggs, cereal and fruit juices. Each participant then returns to the Health Department once each month by appointment, to pickup another set of food vouchers.

This program is being funded by a federal grant from the United States Department of Agriculture in order to obtain Nutritional information on pregnant women and children. It is hoped that by providing the mother with the proper foods as soon after conception as possible that the child will have a healthier growth pattern, an expanded learning capability and during the period the Mother is kept on the program she will be exposed to some nutritional education, within the very near future we will have a qualified Nutritionist join our team and I will write more about that in a future article.

Coffee County was one of 20 Pilot Programs to start the WIC Programs for USDA. The program began in February, 1974, at that time we were doing a full medical evaluation for the University of North Carolina. We interviewed, enrolled and did lab work on every participant, the blood plasma was packaged and shipped by air to North Carolina University daily. North Carolina continues to evaluate the findings and will determine the benefits of proper nourishment toward a healthier and more intelligent child. Some research is being done on the effect of smoking during pregnancy. The blood work continues while on the program at six month intervals. An analyses of certain other key measurements such as height, weight and head circumference data is maintained on each participant.

Coffee County was the first program to get off the ground in the United States following were the other 19 projects, 2 in Arizona, 1 in Connecticut, Indiana, Minnesota had two projects, Mississippi, Missouri, New Jersey, New York, 2 in Ohio, South Carolina, 3 in Texas, Vermont and Wisconsin.

Since our beginning we have served approximately 300 pregnant women and approximately 3,000 infants and children. We maintain an active caseload of 1,300 participants at all time and there is hope that the caseload can be increased if the need arises.

The program at this time brings approximately $50,000 into circulation in the County - that would be going into the economy of another State if we did not maintain the program. The waiting list for counties all over the U.S. for the program is tremendous, according to Mr. Joe Bryant from the USDA office Atlanta, G.

To the residents in the vicinity of THE ELBA CLIPPER who do not have the WIC Program in their county, I recommend you go to your local health department and request through the Health Administrator that they make application and forward it to Miss Emma Clinkscales, State WIC Director Bureau of Maternal and Child Health, Montgomery, Al. 36130.

Persons interested in applying for the program in the Enterprise area should attend the clinic in the Enterprise office of the County Health Department on the corner of Edwards and Brunson Streets, across from Coffee General Hospital from 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. on Monday, Tuesday and Friday each week. You may contact this office by calling 347-6210.

Persons in the Elba area should attend the clinic in the Elba office of the Coffee County Health Department from 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. on Wednesday and Thursday of each week. You may contact this office by calling 897-2523.

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Del Monte TOMATO CATSUP	26 oz. btle.	69¢
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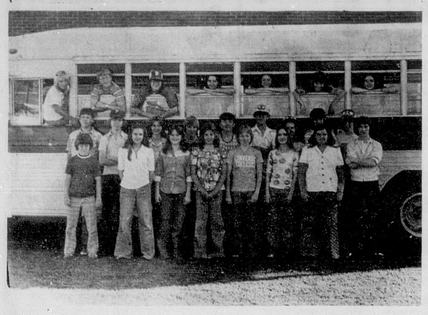
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Hunt's FRUIT COCKTAIL	15 oz can	39¢
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Church News



Elba Choir To Be Seen On WTVY

The Westside Baptist Youth Choir traveled to Dothan on Wednesday, June 2nd, where they taped a portion of the musical "Tell It Like It Is." The video-tape will be aired June 8th during the WTVY Morning Show at 7:30 a.m.

The religious musical, under the choral direction of Bob Stump with Kay Lawless as pianist, was presented to a capacity crowd in the Westside Church auditorium on Sunday, May 30th. Westside members, along with guests from area churches, enjoyed the excellent performance, which conveyed through singing, stage action and special lighting effects, some of the problems that face today's youth in a real life situation.

The presentation was reportedly magnificent and the choir has accepted an invitation to perform the musical for the First Baptist Church of Opp on Wednesday, July 7th.

Curtis Baptist Plans Vacation Bible School

Curtis Baptist Church, will hold Vacation Bible School the week of June 7-11. It will begin each evening from 6 till 9 p.m. for ages four through youth. Everyone is invited to attend.

Westside Baptist To Hear Choir From Georgia

The Youth Choir from the First Baptist Church of Cedartown, Georgia, will present a concert at the Westside Baptist Church on Tuesday, June 8, at 7:30 p.m. Mr. Doug Davis is the director of the 65-member choir and they will present a variety of numbers. One unique part of the program is a handbell presentation.

The choir members will be entertained with a covered dish supper, and will stay overnight in homes of Westside members. The public is cordially invited.

Basin Baptist To Hold VBS June 7 - 11

Basin Baptist Church, located in the Basin Community, will be having Vacation Bible School June 7-11 from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m. nightly.

The Church will have departments for ages 3-12 with some of the young people assisting.

Mrs. Exa Meeks will be the VBS Director.

Commencement night will be Sunday night, June 13th, at 7:00 p.m.

All children in the area are encouraged to attend.

VBS To Begin At New Haven Baptist Church

Vacation Bible School will begin at New Haven Baptist Church, Monday, June 7-11 at 6:00 till 8:30 p.m.

Everyone is invited.

Quartet Singing Scheduled At Tarentum Center

There will be a quartet singing at the Tarentum Community Center Sat. night June 5th. Beginning at 7:30 p.m. Featured quartets will be, The Happy Five from Phenix City, Ala. and The Joyfulaires from Louisville, Ala. There will be a small admission at the door. Both groups are good. Everyone is invited.

Weed Baptist Schedule Church Homecoming

Pastor Fred A. Fowler, Weed Baptist Church, Route 2, Brantley, Al., extends an invition to everyone to attend the church homecoming and dedication on Sunday, June 6. Sunday School starts at 10 a.m., with morning service at 11 a.m., followed by dinner. The dedication service will begin at 2 p.m., followed by fellowship time with special music.

"FOR WE KNOW THAT IF OUR EARTHLY HOUSE OF THIS TABERNACLE WERE DISSOLVED, WE HAVE A BUILDING OF GOD, A HOUSE NOT MADE WITH HANDS, ETERNAL IN THE HEAVENS." II Cor. 5:1

Mountain Moments

By: K. Maynard Head

PLAYING FIVE'S

As soon as the weather warms, and children are seen outside during breaks at school, I always think of playing marbles. Kids today rarely use the word "recess," but when I was in school, this was the most popular "subject!"

We enjoyed recess twice a day - once in the morning, again in the afternoon, and we went outside except on the days when the weather was exceptionally bad.

Schools rarely had any athletic equipment and we brought balls and bats when we had a game planned. Some of the boys had gloves, but I never owned a ball glove during my childhood. Since we played softball most of the time, we could do without gloves, but when baseball was the game, we usually swapped gloves with the team going to bat.

But the favorite pastime at recess in the spring was marbles. Most school children today haven't played this game, mainly because there is little ground around modern schools where marbles can be played best.

To have a good marble game, you must have the following ingredients: several boys (at least two) with a pocketful of marbles, a flat place where no grass is growing, and a stick to draw a ring!

There are several ways to play the game which originated in Egypt and Rome before the days of Christ, but we simply decided how many marbles each player must put in the ring and then shoot at the marbles. The ring was about 10 feet in diameter and we decided who shot first by rolling a marble toward the opposite side of the ring. The player whose marble rolled nearest the line was first, and so on.

Each player had a favorite marble he shot with, called a "taw." Most of the marbles we had were made of scrap glass but occasionally we had cats-eyes, or the rainbow type.

Some times we played "for fair" meaning that the marbles are returned to their owners at the end of the game. "For Keeps" meant each player keeps the marbles he shoots out of the ring.

When it was decided who was to shoot first, the object of the game was to shoot until all the marbles were knocked out of the ring. This was done by snapping the taw at a marbie with a flip of the thumb.

In shooting, the knuckles of the player must rest on the ground just outside the ring. Sometimes, the first shot to "bust the marbles" could be from the knee. The first player shot until he missed and the other players in order.

We sometimes allowed the use of a steel ball as a taw but marbles could be burst this way.

I suppose the sophistication of the space-age makes marbles a game of the past, but I still get the urge to knuckle down with my favorite taw!

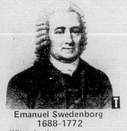
K. Maynard Head is director of public relations at the Clear Creek Baptist School, a theological school for adults, Pineville, Ky., 40977. For a free booklet containing selected articles of MOUNTAIN MOMENTS, write to Mr. Head at the above address.

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Emanuel Swedenborg
1688-1772

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Helen Keller

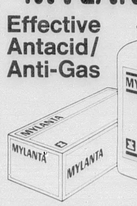
Who was the philosopher that so inspired the legendary Helen Keller that she wrote a book in tribute to him? More importantly, what did she mean by "noblest champion?" Why did other notables as diverse as Henry James Sr., Elizabeth Barrett Browning, William Blake, Balzac, and even Johnny Appleseed credit Emanual Swedenborg as a man of exceptional insight and mental power?

This remarkable 18th century philosopher was truly years ahead of his time. His research on civic, scientific, and philosophical subjects alone fill some 20 volumes! He devoted the latter part of his life to theology and these works comprise another 30 volumes. Besides being a prolific writer, Swedenborg was an inventor, traveler, and an active member of the Swedish House of Nobles.

In a recently published book THE ESSENTIAL SWEDENBORG, Dr. Sig Synnestvedt, author and history professor, condenses the central aspects of Swedenborg's thought. This readily comprehendible book not only presents a biography of the "Aristotle of the North," but also contains excerpts from Swedenborg's works on topics ranging from civil affairs, morality, man's destiny, and charity, to life after death. These timely concepts were revolutionary then, but current today. Swedenborg proves beyond a doubt that *God is not dead.*

For those searching for a more meaningful explanation of life - just as Helen Keller did - THE ESSENTIAL SWEDENBORG (202 pages, cloth) may be obtained by sending $3.25 (postpaid) to the Swedenborg Foundation, 139 East 23rd Street, Dept. ES, New York, N.Y. 10010. Find out why Emerson called Swedenborg "a colossal soul..."

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Morning Worship . . 11:00 a.m.
Youth Choir Prac. . 4:00 p.m.
Church Training . . 5:00 p.m.
Evening Worship . . 6:00 p.m.
Wed. Worship . . . 7:00 p.m.
Chancel Choir Practice - Wed. 8:00 p.m
Church Visit-Thur. . 7:00 p.m.

WHITEWATER BAPTIST CHURCH - Paul Foxworth
Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship . . 11:00 a.m.
Church Training . . 6:00 p.m.
Worship & Children's Service 7:00 p.m.
Wed. Prayer Service, RA's & GA's . . . . . 7:00 p.m.

ELBA UNITED METHODIST CHURCH - Edward D. Hesse
Sunday School . . . 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship . . 10:50 a.m.
Children & Youth Choir Prac. 6:00 p.m.
Evening Worship . . 7:00 p.m.

BASIN BAPTIST CHURCH - Tommy White
Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m.
Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.
Church Training . . 5:30 p.m.
Even. Worship . . . 6:30 p.m.
Wed. Prayer Meet. . 7:00 p.m.

ELBA CHURCH OF GOD - Charles Jolley
Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship . . 11:00 a.m.
Sunday Evening - Young People's Endeavor . . 6:00 p.m.
Evangelistic Serv. . 8:30 p.m.
Wed. Prayer Serv. . . 7:00 p.m.

ELBA FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD - Milton E. Dykes
Sunday School . . . 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship . . 11:00 a.m.
Youth Choir Prac. . 4:00 p.m.
Junior Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.
Youth Service . . . 5:00 p.m.
Evening Evangelist Service - 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Ser. . . . 7:00 p.m.
Pastor's Phone Call - Monday - Fri. - WELB . . . 9:25 a.m.

ELBA DELIVERANCE TABERNACLE - Jimmy and Shirley Hatcher
Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship . . 11:00 a.m.
Evangelist Serv. . . 7:00 p.m.
Thurs. Night Serv. . 7:00 p.m.
Youth Serv. Sat. . . 7:00 p.m.
WELB Radio Daily . 12:20 p.m.

ZOAR COMMUNITY CHURCH - Sybie Bagwell
Sunday Morn. Ser. . 10:00 a.m.
Sunday Even. Ser. . 7:00 p.m.
Wed. Prayer Ser. . . 7:30 p.m.

MT. VERNON CONGREGATIONAL METHODIST - Curtis Barnes
Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship . . 11:00 a.m.
CMYS . . . . . 6:00 p.m.
Evangelist Service . . 7:00 p.m.
Prayer Meet. Thur. . 7:00 p.m.

WISE MILL ASSEMBLY OF GOD - D. D. Bryant
Sunday School . . . 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship . . 11:00 a.m.
Choir Practice . . . 4:00 p.m.
Young Peoples Serv. . 5:00 p.m.
Evening Worship . . 6:30 p.m.
Prayer Meet. Wed. . 7:00 p.m.
Home Prayer Serv. - Friday 7:00 p.m.

ELBA CHURCH OF CHIRST - Joseph B. Nall
Bible Study . . . . 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship . . 11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship . . 6:00 p.m.
Tuesday - Ladies Bible Class 2:00 p.m.
Wed. Bible Study . . 7:00 p.m.

WOODLAND GROVE BAPTIST CHURCH - Kenneth English
Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship . . 11:00 a.m.
Youth Choir Prac. . 5:00 p.m.
Adult Choir Prac. . 5:00 p.m.
Training Union . . . 5:30 p.m.
Evening Worship . . 6:30 p.m.
Wed. Prayer Meet. . 7:30 p.m.

NEW EBENEZER BAPTIST CHURCH - Oliver Hobdon
Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship . . 11:00 a.m.
Youth Choir Prac. . 4:00 p.m.
Training Union . . . 5:00 p.m.
Evening Worship . . 6:00 p.m.
"Outreach" Wed. . . 6:00 p.m.
Prayer Meet. Wed. . 7:00 p.m.
Adult Choir Practice. Wed. 8:00 p.m.
WELB-Radio Sat. . . 9:30 a.m.

DAMASCUS BAPTIST CHURCH
Sunday School . . . 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship . . 11:00 a.m.
Training Union . . . 6:00 p.m.
Evening Worship . . 7:00 p.m.
Wed. Prayer Serv. . 7:00 p.m.
Community Wide Visitation - Thursday Night
WELB - Saturday . . 8:30 a.m.
RA & GA Wed. . . . . 7:00 p.m.

ELBA ZION BAPTIST CHURCH - J. L. Grayer
Sunday School . . . 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship . . 11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship . . 6:00 p.m. (1st & 3rd Sundays)
Wed. Night Mis. . 6:00 p.m.
Choir Rehearsal Each Thurs. before 1st & 3rd Sun.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF ELBA - Robert K. Davis, Jr.
Sunday School . . . 9:45 a.m.
Worship Service (WELB Radio . . . . . 11:00 a.m.
Church Training . . 6:00 p.m.
Evening Worship . . 7:00 p.m.
Wed. Family Supper . 6:00 p.m.
Wed. Prayer Meet. . 6:30 p.m.

WESTSIDE BAPTIST CHURCH - James T. Brock
Sunday School . . . 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship . . 11:00 a.m.
Youth Choir Prac. . 4:45 p.m.
Church Training . . 6:00 p.m.
Evening Worship . . 7:00 p.m.
Wed. Prayer Meet. . 7:00 p.m.
Adult Choir Prac. . 8:00 p.m.
Nursery Open For Church Activities

VICTORIA BAPTIST CHURCH - Clint Gutherie
Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship . . 11:00 a.m.
Choir Practice . . . 5:00 p.m.
Training Union . . . 6:00 p.m.
Evening Worship . . 7:00 p.m.
Wed. Youth Serv. . . 6:30 p.m.

MT. GILEAD BAPTIST - Charles Sunday
Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m
Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.
Church Training . . 5:00 p.m.
Even. Worship . . . 6:00 p.m.
Wed. Prayer Meet. . 7:00 p.m.

A Prayer for Peace

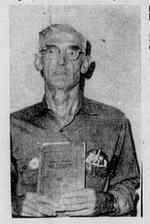


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BY: FAYE HOLLIDAY



Mr. L. J. Hornsby of Enterprise is the owner of a 1921 Annual of the Alabama **Baptist State Convention, held** at Troy, Al. The book was found with some other old books at his mother's old home place located at Eanon, and was originally the property of the Eanon Baptist Church.

Hornsby's father, L. M. Hornsby, was the clerk of the Convention during this time, and in this capacity was the holder of the annual.

The annual shows a beginning date of 1823 that the convention meetings were recorded. The place of meeting and officers from 1823 til 1921 are shown in the accompanying listing, as well as information on the Fourteenth Session of the Coffee County Association in 1921.

L. H. Dawson was prsident of the Convention and M. M. Wood Secretary, in 1921.

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Cool Spring*	-------	Roy Brunson, Enterprise R	40	--	--	--	--			--	
Corinth	H. L. Nichols, Chancellor	Mrs. Annie Elenberg, Chanc.	70	8	28.30	1.75	3.55	--		--	
County Line	J. O. Colley, Enterprise	Miss Maisie Hatcher, Enterprise	218	7	300.00	--	101.63	10.00		849.94	
Damascus	T. W. McKnight, Elba	W. H. Seagraves, Elba	235	31	110.00	--	3.00	9.09		74.47	
Ebenezer	J. A. Lowry, Newton	A. H. Snellgrove, Ozark	150		200.00	--	56.15	32.19		151.48	
Elba	L. A. Nall, Elba	C. S. Allred, Elba	384	27	1200.00	161.93	749.84	796.60		1737.05	
ENON	T. W. MCKNIGHT, ELBA	L. M. HORNSBY, TENNILLE	70	4	64.40	--	11.00	--		55.00	
Enterprise	J. O. Colley, Enterprise	J. C. Fleming, Enterprise	765	65	2500.00	993.28	1270.90	813.81	5.00	2743.19	
Goodman	G. E. Andrews, Enterprise	B. C. Goodman, Enterprise	131	20	65.15	--	28.21	--		5.30	
Hebron	T. J. Floyd, Troy R 7	T. H. Bundy, Troy R 5	106	12	80.00	--	2.00	--		--	
Mt. Gilead	W. J. Willis, Kinston	W. C. Donaldson, Elba R 6	81	12	85.00	--	1.25	--		--	
Mt. Olive	C. O. Helms, Elba	C. L. Bailey, Elba	56	7	75.00	5.00	32.30	1.10		41.85	
Mt. Pleasant	-------	M. D. Harrell, Enterprise	334	30	--	--	273.80	70.61		472.54	
Mt. Zion	J. L. Hogan, Enterprise	I. A. Martin, Victoria	42	4	100.00	50.00	2.00	3.75		3.75	
New Brockton	J. A. Seay, Newville	J. D. Willis, New Brockton	158	13	150.00	--	209.25	305.00		526.48	
New Ebenezer	P. L. Moseley, Opp	E. A. Grimes, Elba R 4	90	6		--	33.50	--		--	
New Haven	G. E. Andrews, Enterprise	G. W. Smith, Elba R 3	64	7	50.60	--	2.00	--		2.00	
New Home	H. L. Nichols, Chancellor	J. F. Johnson, Enterprise	169	18	125.00	--	2.55	60.10		97.10	
New Hope	J. M. Loftin, Troy R 7	J. T. Eagerton, Tennille	152	9	150.00	--	14.50	--		--	
Union-Kinston	J. A. Lowry, Newton	A. B. Wise, Kinston	197	38	300.00	320.00	122.00	61.45	93.90	207.15	
Whitewater	L. A. Nall, Elba	C. A. Devone, Elba	172	15	85.00	--	11.20	5.00		7.00	
Woodland Grove	T. W. McKnight, Elba	A. L. Lane, Elba	79	23	150.00	100.00	33.50	--		--	
Zion Chapel*	-------	W. J. Brown, Victoria R 1	45	--	--	--	--	2.50		6.85	
Undesignated			--	--	--	--	--	2.58		27.58	
TOTALS 1921			4343	390	6378.88	1631.96	3041.65	2221.42	98.90	7274.99	
TOTALS 1920			4036	263	6841.30	3670.78	17,146.08	4131.04		5028.57	

PLACE OF MEETING AND OFFICERS 1823 TO 1921

YEAR	PLACE OF MEETING	PRESIDENT	SECRETARY
1823	Greensboro	Charles Crow	J. A. Ranaldson
1824	Marion	Daniel P. Brown	J. A. Ranaldson
1825	Tuscaloosa	-------	-------
1826	Greensboro	L. C. Davis	-------
1827	Bethany, Conecuh County	L. C. Davis	J. A. Butler
1828	Marion	-------	-------
1829	Canaan Church, Jefferson Co.	Lee Compere	A. J. Holcombe
1830	Near Canton, Wilcox Co.	J. Ryan	A. J. Holcombe
1831	Salem Church, near Greensboro	-------	-------
1832	-------	-------	-------
1833	Grant's Creek Ch, near Tuscaloosa	-------	-------
1834	Salem Church, near Greensboro	H. Holcombe	A. J. Holcombe
1835	Ockmulgee Church, Perry Co.	Jesse Hartwell	A. J. Holcombe
1836	Fellowship Ch., Wilcox Co.	H. Holcombe	A. J. Holcombe
1837	Enon Church, Madison Co.	H. Holcombe	A. J. Holcombe
1838	Grant's Creek Ch., near Tuscaloosa	H. Holcombe	A. J. Holcombe
1839	Ockmulgee Ch., Perry Co.	Jesse Hartwell	A. J. Holcombe
1840	Salem Church, Green Co.	Hesse Hartwell	A. J. Holcombe
1841	Talladega	Thomas Chilton	A. J. Holcombe
1842	Montgomery	Jesse Hartwell	M. P. Jewett
1843	Marion	Jesse Hartwell	M. P. Jewett
1844	Marion	Jesse Hartwell	M. P. Jewett
1845	Marion	Jesse Hartwell	M. P. Jewett
1846	Marion	Thomas Chilton	M. P. Jewett
1847	Greensboro	Thomas Chilton	M. P. Jewett
1848	Marion	Thomas Chilton	Platt Stowt
1849	Carlowville, Dallas Co.	Thomas Chilton	Platt Stout
1850	Marion	Thomas Chilton	T. F. Curtis
1851	Tuskegee	W. P. Chilton	Platt Stout
1852	Marion	H. Talbird	Platt Stout
1853	Selma	H. Talbird	P. H. Lundy
1854	Marion	H. Talbird	A. B. Goodhue
1855	Montgomery	H. Talbird	A. B. Goodhue
1856	LaFayette	A. G. McGraw	A. B. Goodhue
1857	Talladega, November	A. G. McGraw	A. B. Goodhue
1858	Gainesville	A. G. McGraw	A. B. Goodhue
1859	Marion	A. G. McGraw	A. B. Goodhue
1860	Tuskegee	H. Talbird	I. T. Tichenor
1861	Marion	H. Talbird	A. B. Goodhue
1862	Selma	J. L. M. Curry	A. B. Goodhue
1863	Marion	J. L. M. Curry	A. B. Goodhue
1864	Montgomery	W. H. McIntosh	A. B. Goodhue
1865	Marion	J. L. M. Curry	A. B. Goodhue
1866	Selma	J. L. M. Curry	A. B. Goodhue
1867	Mobile	J. L. M. Curry	Charles Manly
1868	Marion	S. Henderson	R. F. Manly
1869	Oxford	S. Henderson	Charles Manly
1870	Opelika	S. Henderson	Charles Manly
1871	Montgomery	S. Henderson	R. F. Manly
1872	Eufaula	S. Henderson	A. B. Goodhue
1873	Tuscaloosa	S. Henderson	J. J. D. Renfroe
1874	Marion	Jonathan Haralson	F. H. Hawks
1875	Huntsville	Jonathan Haralson	B. B. Davis
1876	Montgomery	Jonathan Haralson	B. B. Davis
1877	Gadsden	Jonathan Haralson	A. B. Goodhue
1878	Talladega	Jonathan Haralson	A. B. Goodhue
1879	Birmingham	Jonathan Haralson	B. B. Davis
1880	Greenville	Jonathan Haralson	B. B. Davis
1881	Troy	Jonathan Haralson	B. B. Davis
1882	Huntsville	Jonathan Haralson	B. B. Davis
1883	Marion	Jonathan Haralson	B. B. Davis
1884	Tuscaloosa	Jonathan Haralson	B. B. Davis
1885	Tuskegee	Jonathan Haralson	B. B. Davis
1886	Birmingham	Jonathan Haralson	B. B. Davis
1887	Union Springs	Jonathan Haralson	B. B. Davis
1888	Talladega	Jonathan Haralson	William A. Davis
1889	Selma	Jonathan Haralson	William A. Davis
1890	Mobile	Jonathan Haralson	William A. Davis
1891	Eufaula	Jonathan Haralson	William A. Davis
1892	Aniston	W. C. Cleveland	William A. Davis
1893	Greenville	W. C. Cleveland	William A. Davis
1894	Marion	W. C. Cleveland	William A. Davis
1895	Selma	W. C. Cleveland	William A. Davis
1896	Huntsville	W. C. Cleveland	William A. Davis
1897	East Lake	W. C. Cleveland	William A. Davis
1898	Opelika	W. C. Cleveland	William A. Davis
1899	Gadsden	H. S. D. Mallory	William A. Davis
1900	Tuscaloosa	H. S. D. Mallory	William A. Davis
1901	Brewton	H. S. D. Mallory	William A. Davis
1902	New Decatur	H. S. D. Mallory	William A. Davis
1903	Troy	H. S. D. Mallory	William A. Davis
1904	Anniston	G. L. Comer	William A. Davis
1905	Sheffield	G. L. Comer	M. M. Wood
1906	Talladega	N. D. Denson	M. M. Wood
1907	Dothan	N. D. Denson	M. M. Wood
1908	Roanoke	N. D. Denson	M. M. Wood
1908	Montgomery, Centennial Session	N. D. Denson	M. M. Wood
1909	Andalusia	N. D. Denson	M. M. Wood
1910	Albertville	R. E. Pettus	M. M. Wood
1911	Greenville	R. E. Pettus	M. M. Wood
1912	Jasper	W. W. Campbell	M. M. Wood
1913	Enterprise	W. W. Campbell	M. M. Wood
1914	Selma	W. W. Campbell	M. M. Wood
1915	Huntsville	W. W. Campbell	M. M. Wood
1916	Mobile	Henry B. Foster	M. M. Wood
1917	Sylacauga	W. B. Crumpton	M. M. Wood
1918	Birmingham	W. D. Crumpton	M. M. Wood
1919	Birmingham	Wm. H. Smith	M. M. Wood
1920	Decatur	Wm. H. Smith	M. M. Wood
1921	Troy	L. O. Dawson	M. M. Wood

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10 YEARS AGO
JUNE 2, 1966

Dan Pressley, a member of the Auburn University Extension Service staff in Tallapoosa County for the past 2 1/2 years, has assumed new duties in Coffee County as Extension farm agent.

A full page ad announces the grand opening of Auto Save, managed by Wayland Bryan.

Dick Flick Chevrolet offers the following car deals: 1965 Corvair Monza - $2145; 1964 Corvette - $3775, 1963 Oldsmobile 88 - $1795; 1961 Rambler - $795.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Brunson and children spent the weekend at their cottage at Phillips Inlet, Fla.

20 YEARS AGO
MAY 31, 1956

The Rev. Elvin T. Edgars,' pastor of the Elba Methodist Church, is attending the annual session of the Alabama Methodist conference which is being held in Montgomery this week.

'The Piggly Wiggly says "Hi Neighbor" with the following specials: Picnics - 33¢ lb.; Roast - 39¢ lb.; Okra - 39¢ lb.; Oleo - 25¢ lb.

Sfc. Freddie Lee Waters has been awarded the Army Commendation ribbon with medal pendant for "initiative and positive leadership" while serving with Battery C of the 1st Calvary Division 99th Field Artillary Battalion.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Oggs, Butch and Candice spent the weekend at the Oggs' cottage at Bahama Beach.

30 YEARS AGO

The Jitney Jungle offers the following grocery specials: Corn - 5¢ ear; Peas - 11¢ pound; Cigarettes - $1.70 carton; Butter Beans - 19¢ pound.

Misses Nina English and Peggy Blue and Mrs. Joe Brooks, who have been attending Alabama College, Montevallo, have returned to Elba for the summer.

Misses Totsye and Jean Rhodes spent several days in New Orleans last week.

Miss Jule Bradley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Bradley, formerly of Elba, graduated from Alabama State College for Women on May 27.

40 YEARS AGO
JUNE 4, 1936

Miss Alice Boyd, who teaches in Montevallo, arrived Tuesday for a visit with her mother, Mrs. W. P. Boyd.

Judge J. A. Carnley's Sunday school class of men, which meets each Sunday morning in the courthouse announces that it will hold a fish fry Friday evening of this week.

Littlejohn's Rides are in Elba all this week. Rides include: Merry-Go-Round - 5¢; Ferris Wheel - 10¢.

The Peoples Theatre is showing "Revenge Riders" starring Tim McCoy and "Bright Lights" starring Joe E. Brown.



Sp/4 Flowers Recognized At Ft. Rucker, Al.

Specialist 4 Gladys L. Flowers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Flowers of Elba, Ala., has been recognized for her service since April 1975 at Ft. Rucker, Ala. Monday (may 24) she was presented a Certificate of Achievement signed by Major General William J. Maddox Jr., post commanding general. It states that in performing her work as company clerk for Headquarters and Service Company, Army Communication Command Agency, she has "displayed the utmost in dedication, devotion to duties, and professional ability." SP4 Flowers is being reassigned to Supreme Headquarters Allied Powers Europe, North Atlantic Treaty Organization headquarters in Belgium.



Contrary to popular image, most company-owned aircraft are not powered by jet engines. Piston-engine, four-seat aircraft are used more than any other type of business travel, according to Piper Aircraft Corporation

Thank You



I would like to thank the many friends who faithfully supported me in the May 25th Democratic Primary Run off Elections. The past few months have been very gratifying, making many new friends and seeing old acquaintances again.

With this message I renew my pledge to serve all the citizens of Coffee County faithfully, impartially and honestly

Jim Ellis

Pd. Pol. Adv. by Jim Ellis, Elba, Al.

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MacArthur Tech Sets Registration

Registration for the summer quarter at MacArthur State Technical College is scheduled to begin on Monday, June 14, 1976 with registration continuing throughout the week.

New classes will begin in Air Conditioning and Refrigeration, Auto Body Technology, Barbering, Data Processing, Accounting, Stenography, General Clerical, Cosmetology, Diesel and Heavy Equipment; Drafting and Design Technology, Trowel Trades, Upholstery, Welding and Small Engine Repair.

MacArthur State Technical College will also offer afternoon and evening classes in Air Conditioning and Refrigeration, Industrial Electricity, Welding, Small Engine Repair and Trowel Trades. A special interest class in Art is also offered three days each week. These classes meet from 3p.m. until 9:15 p.m. with part time schedules available.

Classes will resume after a two-week summer vacation on June 14, 1976. The admissions office will remain open to take applications from prospective students during that time.

MacArthur State College offers an Associate and Applied Technology Degree in addition to a diploma. The school is accreditated by the Association of College and Schools. All programs are approved for the training of veterans. Financial aide is available for eligible students.

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NEWS FROM THE
PRESSBOX
BY RICKY MULARZ SPORTS EDITOR

EX-ELBA COACHES HEADED FOR GEORGIA

As most of you probably know, new-Elba football coach Mac Champion moved to town this week. However, many of you probably don't know that ex-Elba coaches Paul Bass and Hinton Johns have both accepted assistant coaching posts in Georgia.

Coach Bass has already moved, and is now in Newnan, Ga., where he will serve as an assistant coach at Newnan High School. Newnan is a 4A school, and competes in one of the toughest leagues in the state.

Coach Johns has also moved, and is in Americus, Georgia, where he will also be an assistant coach. If you've never heard of Americus, ask somebody from Dothan what kind of football the boy's from Georgia play! Americus defeated Dothan last year en route to Georgia's Class 3A State Championship. Americus High School's football team has won 34 consecutive games, and 40 of it's last 42. Americus is famous for fielding winning football teams, and this year is expected to be another banner season.

I'm sure that all Elba football fans wish Coach Bass and Coach Johns all the luck in their future coaching.

I got to know both men very well during their say in Elba, and my wish is that the bitter taste of what happened to them in Elba, will turn into the sweet taste of success!

GOOD LUCK!!

COLE NEXT AT NEW BROCKTON ? ? ?

The recent coaching vacancy which occured at New Brockton when Hank Kennedy resigned might prove to be interesting before a new coach is named.

One of the first names that popped in my head as a possible successor to the job was Charles Cole.

Cole has been the basketball coach at New Hope Junior High School for seven years, and has led the school's basketball team to 85 wins and 45 losses. During those seven years, New Hope has won four County Championships. In the past two seasons New Hope has amassed a 26-4 record.

Before coming to New Hope, Cole coached at Warren Smith High School and compiled a 141-48 record. Add Cole's two records together and you'll find that he owns a career record of 226 wins and only 93 losses.

While coaching at New Hope, Cole has become one of the most highly-rated basketball coaches in South Alabama.

I talked with Coach Cole last week, and he said he has been contacted by a number of high schools, but told me, "I want to wait and see about a possible transfer."

I'm sure that many fine coaches will apply at New Brockton, but I doubt if any will be more qualified than Charles Cole!

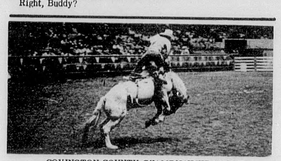
LONG DRIVING CONTEST HELD

The Dixie Section of the P.G.A. held a Long Driving Contest Saturday in Montgomery, and a long-knocker from Thomasville claimed the title with a drive of 334 yards. Hamp Anderson won the contest, followed by Scott Johnston, 330 yards, and Mike Nix of Saugahatchee, with a 329 yard poke.

Jesse Pervear of Birmingham had the straightest drive, and it went 303 yards and was only 14 inches off center.

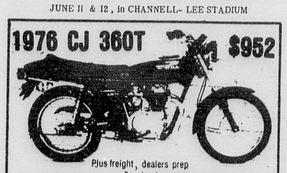
No one from the Elba area entered the contest, but that's okay, we know how far (?) we can hit it!

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Opp Scouts Plan Rodeo

The Club Scouts, Pack 25, of Opp, will be sponsoring the Covington County Championship Rodeo set for June 11th and 12th. Any revenue earned from the rodeo will go towards building a club scout but on a lot near South Highlands School.

This is a professional championship rodeo under the direction of Rick Worthington of Montgomery. The star feature will be Bob Whitt, professional redeo clown, of West Monroe, Louisiana. Bob has trained a mule called "Horsefly" and a trained brama bull that does a fire act. The announcer will be Max Roberson from Baugh, Mississippi. Featured events will be bareback bronc riding, calf roping, steer wrestling, brama bull riding, plus other special featured events. Also, a contest of barrel racing for girls will be held. Local cowboys 18 years old or older, living in Covington County, may enter the events by paying an entry fee and registering on Tuesday, June 8th between the hours of 12 noon and 6 p.m. in Montgomery by calling phone number 272-0758.

Tickets will be modestly priced. Adult tickets will be $2.00 advance and $3.00 at the gate. Children 6 years to 12 will be free.

This is good family entertainment at its best so get your advance tickets early. Advance tickets for the rodeo are no sale now at The First National Bank, Citizens National Bank, James Parrish Service Station, Blue Flame Grill, and Joe's Steak House.

11th Annual Harold Deal Tourney Set For Weekend

Elba Country Club will stage the 11th Annual Harold Deal Invitational Golf Tournament this weekend, June 5-6.

The tourney will consist of two 18-hold rounds, with Saturday's scores determining flights.

The tourney will get underway at 8:00 a.m. Saturday morning, with the strongest field ever vying for the cherished title.

Included among the favorites are former winners, Bill Brunson (Enterprise), Donnie Burns (Enterprise), and Billy Flowers (Valparaiso, Fla).

Out-of-town contenders will be led by Ken Pittman (Enterprise), James Loftin (Pensacola), William Spear (La-Pine), and William Luker (Pensacola).

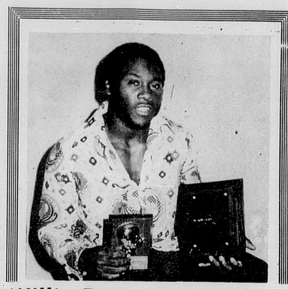
A large group of Elba golfers seeking the crown will be led by Ken Martin, Ronnie Nicholson, Dale Crowe, David Smith and Johnny Martin.

Tournament directors report the course is in it's best shape ever for the tournament, despite the recent rainy weather.

Last year's tournament attracted golfers from 4 states, and the response for this year's event make it destined to be the best tournament ever.

Everyone is invited to come out and watch the action.





Willie Tyson Honored At Alabama State

Willie Tyson, ex-football standout at Elba High School, received two awards recently at Alabama State University's annual Athletic Banquet.

Tyson, a junior at Alabama State, received an award as the "Most Outstanding Offensive Lineman," and was also honored as a "3-year Letterman."

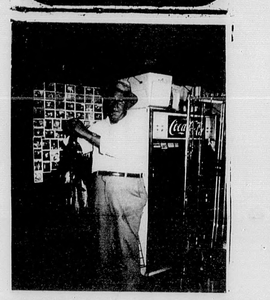
This marked the second straight year Tyson was named the team's top offensive lineman.

Willie will continue to mann his offensive-guard post next season, but might sub as a fullback.

Willie, who is majoring in Physical Education, will graduate in the winter quarter of 1977, and plans to work on his Master's Degree at Indianna State University.

Tyson is the son of Stella Tyson, of Elba.

OUTDOORS



Ian Jackson is pictured above holding a stringer of 22 bream and one catfish he caught last week while fishing he the Coffee County Pond.

MOTOR POOL

BY, GREG BRUNSON CLIPPER RACING ADVISOR

A small field of cars hit the track this past Saturday night at Twin City Speedway. Six late-model sportman, 5 spectators, and 8 rookies rolled out for the races.

The five lap Helmet dash was won easily by Jacky Young who was the fastest qualifer. Nix Bruce (Kinston) was the second place finisher in this race.

The second race was the L-M-S- heat race which had Joe Jordan and Randy Bryant on the front row. In the first turn of the first lap, Randy Bryants' car went off the track and flipped from end to end, but he escaped without injuries. When the cars were restarted, Nix Bruce jumped into the lead and held it for the first 6 laps until Jacky Young took control. He lead for the last four laps and took the victory. Nix finished second while Tommy Adams placed third.

The third race of the evening was the Rookie Heat race, which had 7 entries paced by James Butler and Jerry Bailey. The first two tires for the green flag were marred by accidents which caused two restarts. When the races finally got underway, James Wood grabbed the lead and held it for all six laps. Larry Adcock, Jerry Bailey, and Charles Parker finished out the field.a

The last race before the features was the spectator heat. Jerry Nugent and Bill Taylor led the pack for this race. Two more accidents caused restarts, then Andy Shaffer took the lead. He lead for the first 8 laps until Ladon Smith (New Brockton) did a beautiful job of passing him. Ladon led the last two laps and won easily. Jimmy Kilpatrick was second with Shaffer third.

The Hobby Feature race started with J. B. Scott taking the lead and holding it until the third turn of the last lap when he and James Woods collided in the third trun. This gave Larry Adcock the victory followed by Johnny Fuller and James Woods.

The last race of the evening was a combined feature which had 3 spectators and 3 L-M-S entered. Jacky Young took control on lap four and led for the last 22 laps of this 25 lap race. Tommy Adams was second followed by Ladon Smith and Jimmy Kilpatrick.

Next week will be the last week of spectator class. A big 25 lap championship race will be run, and week after next, these cars will compete with the late-model-sportman class cars. A nice crowd was on hand last week, so this week we can expect many more drivers at the race track. Time trials start at 7:15 with races starting at 8:15. So lets all go out and support our local drivers. Jacky Young and Harold Spicer.

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Nasco Blasts Wises 22-7, Dorsey Reds Move Into 1st

Nasco pounded out 29 hits Monday night en route to a stunning 22-7 rout over Wise's. The loss knocked Wise's out of a first-place tie with the Dorsey Reds, who defeated Peacock Drugs 21-8.

The Dorsey Reds now lead the league with a 10-1 record, while Wise's is 9-2, Nasco 7-4, Windham's 6-5, Woodland Grove 4-7, Dorsey Blues' 3-8, Peacock Drugs 3-8, and Karpet Kare 2-9.

In action last Wednesday, the Dorsey Reds edged Windham's 5-4, Wise's dumped Dorsey Blues 5-2, Nasco blasted Karpet Kare 10-5, and Woodland Grove slipped past Peacock Drugs, 15-14.

Friday night's opening game saw Nasco dump the Dorsey Blue's 8-4. The score was tied at 2-2 after three-innings, but Nasco plated four runs in the fourth, and one in the fifth to grab a 7-2 advantage. The Blue's tallied twice in the final frame, but it was too late, as Nasco claimed the victory.

Larry Wambles went 3 for 3 to place Nasco, while Max Rayborn and Tommy Dewberry led Dorsey with two hits a piece.

The second contest was Wise's 15-9 win over Karpet Kare. K. Kare led 3-1 after one-inning, but Wise's tallied 8-runs in the second frame to take a 9-3 advantage. K. Kare threatened late in the game, but Wise's held on to take the win.

Wise's was led at the plate by Don Mack, who went 4 for 4 while Buck Jackson pounded out three hits to pace Karpet Kare.

Dorsey Reds scored five runs in the final inning to turn back Woodland Grove 9-6. Dorsey led 3-0 after 2 1/2 innings, but W. Grove pushed across three runs in the third and fifth-inning to go ahead 4-3. The big hits in the final inning for Dorsey were triples by Ronnie Culver and Mickey Marler.

Getting three hits for Dorsey were Tommy Skinner, Mickey Marler and Eddie Kelley, while Woodland Grove was led at the plate by Dale Moseley, who went 2 for 3.

Friday's final game saw Windham's clobber Peacock Drugs 24-5. The score was 8-5 after five-innings, but Windham's used 12 hits to push across 11 runs in the sixth-inning to put the game out of reach.

Windham's was led at the plate by Ricky Mularz, who went 4 for 4, and Max Fuller, who went 4 for 5. Jimmy Peacock collected two hits to pace the losers.



Monday night's opening game saw Dorsey Blue's edge K. Kare 14-13 in 11 innings. K. Kare owned a 7-0 lead after 1 1/2 innings, but the Blues' bounced back to go 11-7 after four-inning of play. After the regulation 7-innings the score was tied at 13-13, and the game headed into extra innings. Neither team could move ahead until the bottom of the 11th inning, when Tommy Dewberry raced home on an error to give Dorsey the win.

Dorsey was led in the marathon win by Jimmy Fuller with four hits, and Bruce Nelson and Rickey Compton with three hits K. Kare was paced by Buel Sims and Ronnie Ledford, with 3 hits each.

Dorsey Reds pushed across 14 runs in the opening inning en route to a 21-8 win over Peacock Drugs. Dorsey took advantage of 15 hits and 4 errors in the opening frame to put the game out of reach before Peacock's even got to bat. After three-innings Dorsey's lead had grown to 20-4, and there was little for Peacock's to do but finish out the game, and accept the defeat.

Dorsey was led at the plate by Tommy Sinner and Mickey Marler, with four hits each, while Joe Simmons and Tommy Adams led Peacock's with two hits each.

The third game was Nasco's stunning 22-7 rout over Wise's. Nasco jumped ahead 9-0 early in the game, and after four-innings had stretched their lead to 13-3. The score was 15-6 after five-innings, and Nasco added insult-to-injury by scoring 7 runs in the final inning to make the final score a lopsided 22-7.

Collecting four hits for Nasco were Johnny Blackmon, Ken Reeves, Keith Fuller, and Stevie Sanders while Wise's was led by Wayne Flowers, who went 2 for 4.

WOMEN'S SOFTBALL HIGHLIGHTS



Judy Kelley, pitcher for the Elba General Hospital team, arches pitch to Woodland Grove batter.



Patsy English takes mighty cut at pitch. Patsy hit the ball in leftfield for a home-run.

Woodland Grove Pitcher Elaine Semonelle Concentrates before delivering ball to batter.

Women's S'ball Standings

	W	L	GB
Z.C. Rebelettes	7	2	-
Victoria Blues	7	2	-
Jewel Box	7	2	-
Brundidge	7	2	-
Victoria Reds	6	3	1
Sallie's Gals	5	5	2 1/2
N.B. People's Bank	4	5	3
Z.C. Blue Angels	4	5	3
Kleinerts	2	8	5 1/2
Natl. Security	1	9	6 1/2
Elba Gen. Hosp.	1	9	6 1/2

Monday's final game didn't get started until 10:15 p.m., but neither team seemed tired, as Windham's catalugged Woodland Grove 24-11

Windham's scored six-runs in each of the opening two innings to take a 12-4 lead, and added four additional runs in the third to go ahead 16-3 W. Grove pulled within 16-9 after four - innings, but Windham's broke loose for 8 runs in the fifth-inning to "ice the win."

Windham's was led by Max Farris, Hubert Ray Bryan and Ricky Mularz with three hits each, while Randy Sellers went 3 for 3 to pace the losers.

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Women's Page

Miss Wetherington Weds



Miss Varyn J. Wetherington and Phillip Crigler Clawson recited wedding pledges Saturday at 7:30 p.m. in the chapel of the First Presbyterian Church in Greenville, S. C. Their vows were heard by the Rev. Richard Doughty. A reception followed in the church parlor.

The bride is employed with the Disability Division of the Vocational Rehabilitation Department. She and the groom are graduates of Furman University, she with a B.A. degree in music education and he with a B.A. degree in business. He is a representative for the Equitable Life Assurance Society of America.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Ryndal Lewis Wetherington of Annandale, Va., and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Houston Clawson of Greenville, S.C. The bridegroom is the grandson of Mrs. William Bullard and the late Mr. Bullard of Elba.

Miss Lesley Ann Wetherington of Annandale, sister of the bride, was maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Miss Anne Elizabeth Clawson, sister of the groom; Mrs. Carol Houston Clawson, Jr., of Raleigh, N.C.; Mrs. Edwin Earl Bateman of Wake Forest, N.C.; Mrs. John Newton Walker, Mrs. Randall Sloan Poe, Mrs. Anne Dyson Horton and Miss Pamela Wilson Walker. Groomsmen were: Mr. Carl Clawson, father of the groom; Mr. Carl Clawson, Jr., of Raleigh, N.C. and brother of the groom; Edward Houser, of Mobile, Randall Sloan Poe, Dyle M. Johnson, John Archie McDow, Douglas Rawlins Williams, Robert Michael Horton and Alan Lawrence Howard.



PILOT CLUB INSTALLS OFFICERS: Installation ceremonies were held Thursday evening, May 27th, in a local restaurant for the officers of the local Pilot Clubs. Pictured left to right are: Ann Beck, director; Agnes Wilson, director; Sue Griffin, treasurer; Miriam Bowers, Corresponding secretary; Nancy Crowe, Recording secretary; Marie Asher, 2nd vice-president; and Betty Lewis, President. Not pictured were: Frances Brunson, 1st vice-president and Gussie Smart, Director.

Couple To Exchange Vows On Sunday

Judge and Mrs. Fleetwood Carnley cordially invite you to attend the marriage of their daughter, Melanie, to Thomas Henry Jones, Jr., Lieutenant United States Army, on the 6th of June, 1976, at five o'clock in the afternoon, First Baptist Church, Elba, and the wedding reception immediately following at the home of the bride's parents.

Parties Fete Miss Carnley

Bridal Luncheon

The Opp Country Club was the setting for a bridal luncheon honoring Miss Melanie Carnley when Mrs. Sam Collier entertained on Wednesday, May 19th.

The arriving guests were greeted at the door by the hostess and guest-of-honor and invited into the club's private reception room where the dining tables were arranged in a "T" formation. White porcelain lattice work cachepots holding bouquets of carnations in shades of rich pink interspersed with Queen Ann's Lace were placed down the length of the tables. Placecards were handpainted with delicate pink flowers which nicely complemented the molded strawberry salad served as the first course.

After the luncheon, the hostess presented Miss Carnley with one of her paintings mounted on a gold easel.

Attending were: Miss Carnley, Mrs. Paul Morrow, Mrs. Robert Davis, Miss Mary Collier, Miss Judy Lee, Miss Beverly Cox, Miss Bunny Cox, Miss Alice Brunson, Mrs. Mace Cook, Mrs. Robert Cannon, Mrs. Shelby Morrow, Mrs. Walter Cox, Mrs. Kasper Anderson, Mrs. Ben Brock, Mrs. John Glen Lee, Mrs. George Lindsey, Mrs. George Lama Collier, Mrs. Lister Brunson, Miss Sherri Cook, Miss Wilma Anderson, Miss Wendy Anderson and Mrs. James Rhoades.

Gadget Shower

Miss Melanie Caraley was the honoree for a gadget shower, May 20, at the home of Mrs. James Clay. Miss Cherrie Clay, Mrs. Ben Brock, and Mrs. J. Doug Kendrick joined Mrs. Clay in honoring Miss Carnley.

They served the guests a delicious plate of refreshments which included strawberry congealed salad, chicken salad sandwiches, cheese straws, caramel cake and iced tea. After everyone enjoyed the refreshments, the honoree opened her shower gifts which included many useful items for her kitchen.

The guests who enjoyed this event with Melanie were her mother, Mrs. Fleetwood Carnley; her sister, Mrs. Paul Morrow, Misses Wendy and Wilma Anderson, Miss Sherri Cook, Misses Beverly and Bunny Cox, Mr. Kimmey Dorsey, Mrs. Charles Hayes, III, Miss Judy Lee, Mrs. Phillip Scarborough, Mrs. Sarah Sullivan, Mrs. Jack Vaughan and Mrs. Oscar Vaughan, Jr.

Local Topics

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Mr. and Mrs. Billy Jernigan recently returned from an enjoyable and memorible trip to England with approximately 200 Benson Wholesale people. They left from the Pensacola airport on May 13th and returned May 21st. They flew to London, England where they were guests in the Grosvenor House hotel located in Parkland London.

Highlights of the Jernigan trip featured tours of Windsor Castle, Buckingham Palace, The Tower of London, St. Paul's Cathedral and a theatre trip to see "Mardi Gras." They enjoyed taxiing to downtown London and shopping in some the world's most exquisite stores where the Queen of England is said to shop. They visited the parks and the famous London pubs as they made their way back to the hotel by many of the London modes of travel. As well as the sight-seeing and shopping sprees, a number of business meetings, dinners and parties were enjoyed by all.

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Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Lewis enjoyed having their daughter, Sherri, home for 3 weeks during the college break of Alabama A. & M University. She returned to summer school this weekend.

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Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cannon recently returned from a short vacation. They traveled to South Carolina and picked up their daughter, Courtney, who attends Converse College and then on to North Carolina for a few days in the mountains. Courtney returned home with them for the college break but will be attending the University of Alabama during the summer. She and Miss Bev Cox will be rooming together during the summer session on the U of A campus.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Thames of Winter Garden, Fla. have been visiting with members of their family in Elba recently.

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Kevin Matthews has been confined to the hospital. A speedy recovery is surely wished for this very active 4-year-old son of Doris and Joel Matthews.

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Mr. and Mrs. Paul Maddox entertained a number of guests last weekend. The occasion was the graduation of their daughter, Kathy, who received her diploma from Zion Chapel during ceremonies held Thursday evening. Arriving Thursday from Pensacola, were their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Maddox and Michael Adam, with their guest, Miss Sandra Pernell. Also visiting for the weekend were Mrs. Wyneil Gower, Gary Jacobs and Pat Henry, of Columbus, Ga.

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Mr. and Mrs. Thaniel Carr enjoyed having Rev. and Mrs. Larry Coates and daughters, Sherrie and Tammy, and Minister of Music and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Sheffield; and Mr. Bill Owens and son, as dinner guests in their home on Sunday.

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Brad Callaway, grandson of Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Fuller, visited here last week. He was in town to drive his sister, Terri, back to their home in Sierra Vista, Arizona. Terri attends the University of Alabama, where she will be a junior this fall.

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Miss Betsy Banks To Marry Mr. Coplin



Miss Betsy Banks, of Birmingham, formerly of Andalusia, and William Thomas Coplin, Jr., of Birmingham, will be married on June 19 in the chapel of Mountain Brook Baptist Church.

The engagement is announced by the bride-elect's parents, Mrs. Elizabeth Fleming Banks, of Opp, and Zieglar Newkirk Banks, of Andalusia.

Miss Banks graduated from Andalusia High School and Troy State University. She is employed in Birmingham.

The bride-elect is the granddaughter of the late Attorney and Mrs. John Claude Fleming of Elba, and Mrs. O. P. Banks and the late Mr. Banks of Andalusia.

The prospective groom is the son of Mrs. Margie Coplin, of Gadsden and William Thomas Coplin, of North Carolina. His grandparents are Mrs. Mary McCay Boswell and the late Dewey Lester Boswell and Mrs. Myrtle Edwards Motley and the late Judge George Motley of Gadsden.

Mr. Coplin graduated from Gadsden High School, Gadsden Junior College and Jacksonville State University. He is presently attending Cumberland School of Law.

NEW ARRIVALS

TONISHA LASHEA & SEREATHA DANEA ALCURI

Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Joseph Alcuri, Jr. are the proud parents of beautiful twin daughters, Tonisha and Sereatha arrived May 3, 1976 in Coffee County General Hospital. Tonisha weighed 4 lbs. 15 ozs. and Sereatha weighed 4 lbs. 9 ozs.

The twins are the granddaughters of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Joseph Alcuri, Sr. of Brundidge, and Mr. and Mrs. Gurves Simmons of Elba.

Great - grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Edgar of Elba and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Simmons, also of Elba. Great-great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Joe Edgar of Ozark.

The new arrivals' mother is the former Cindy Simmons of Elba.

Miss DuBose, Mr. Jones To Exchange Vows

Mr. and Mrs. Marcus S. DuBose invite you to worship with and witness the vows exchanged in the marriage of their daughter, Alberta Sabrina, to Mr. Laurens W. Jones, Jr. on Saturday, the 5th day of June at one o'clock in the afternoon at the St. John's Catholic Church, Enterprise. The reception will follow in the church hall.



Mrs. Dennis Faulk Honored With Shower

RECENT BRIDE FETED WITH SHOWER: Mrs. Dennis Faulk (nee Rhonda Jean Morrow) was honored with a miscellaneous shower on Monday evening, May 24, in the Elba Country Club.

Wedding vows were exchanged by the couple in Elamville, Al., on April 18th. The recent bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Morrow of Elba and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. George Faulk of Clio, Al.

Pictured with the honorees are(left to right) her grandmother, Mrs. Mae White; mother, Mrs. Bill Morrow; the honored guest; and grandmother, Mrs. Lucille Morrow.

Misses Babs Bruce, Nancy Thomas and Sabrina DuBose served refreshments of nuts, mints and cake from a table overlaid with an embroidered cloth. Punch was served from a crystal bowl encircled with spring flowers.



KIDS TEASE PARTY-GIVERS: When Kathy Tucker was honored with a party at her home recently, a number of the guests insisted on teasing the hosts by playing around the pool. Looks like they were doing a good job by spashing and ducking their heads. We don't have a count for the official number who finally made it all the way in, LOOKS LIKE FUN!

Couple To Exchange Vows On June 12th

Mr. and Mrs. James C. ain of Opp announce the engagement of their daughter, ary Eunice, to Ernest Mac purlin, son of Mrs. Nora Spurin of Brantley, and the late . R. Spurlin of Elba.

Miss Cain is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Norris of Samson and the late Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Cain of Perry Store Community. The bride-elect attended Lurleen B. Wallace State Junior College and graduated from Troy State University with a B.S. degree in physical education.

Mr. Spurlin is the grandson of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Bullock of Red Level and the late Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Spurlin of Elba. He attended Lurleen B. Wallace State Jr. College for two years and later transferred to Troy State University receiving a B.S. degree in Biology. He is presently employed with the teachers of Pike County High School in Brundidge and also serves as assistant football coach.

The wedding has been planned for June 12th at the First Baptist Church in Opp at 6:00 p.m. No local invitations are being sent but all friends and relatives are invited to attend.



FRENCH VISITORS TO ELBA: Visiting with the Whitman family recently were: Mr. and Mrs. Jacque Damon (right), parents of Marie Christine Whitman, and Mrs. Pierre Damon, (left - inside booth), sister-in-law, all of Paris, France. Mrs. Whitman (outside booth - left) and husband Buddy, of Mobile, were in town visiting with Buddy's mother, Mrs. Dell Whitman and other family members.

MRS. KATE SAWYER'S EASY DROP BISCUITS

1 Cup self-rising flour
1/2 Cup milk
2 tablespoons mayonnaise

Stir well and drop by spoonsful onto lightly oiled baking pan. Bake at 300 degrees approximately 15 mins., or until brown. Makes approximately 10 medium sized biscuits

MORE LOCAL TOPICS

Mr. and Mrs. Mrs. Butch Oggs and Khristi, Mrs. Dell Whitman, Mrs. Candance Leandro and Dax attended the the May 28th wedding of Tommy Beale in Mobile last Friday.



Cynthia Wilson Graduates From Troy University

Miss Cynthia Nell Wilson of Route 1, Elba, will graduate from Troy State University at its commencement exercise on June 4. Miss Wilson is a major of Secretarial Science. While at Troy State, she has been listed on the Dean's List and is a member of Kappa Delta Pi, a national honor society.

Miss Wilson has accepted a position in business education in Hogansville, Ga. She will move there after a summer of working at Calloway Gardens located at Pine Mountain, Ga. She will be working with her sister, Terri, and four other TSU students who have been accepted for positions.

Cynthia, a graduate of Zion Chapel High School, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Cecil Wilson.



A BIG THANK YOU

How can I ever thank all of you who voted for and helped in the run-off Democratic Primary? To say that I deeply appreciate your support is not enough.

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BROCKTON 4th GRADERS PRESENT PLAY















THE NEW BROCKTON PTO was entertained a few weeks ago with a play "PASS THE TORCH" presented by Miss Lunsford's and Mrs. Strickland's 4th grade class. The purpose of the play was to honor our country and its leaders both past and present.

Participating were: Tresea Foster, Lisa Smith, Jana Burkeen, Kim Grantham, Matthew Hornsby, Kenneth Nolin, Scotty Lee, Erik Griswold, Wade Dean, Greg Moore, Joseph Westerling, Tracy Wilkinson, Anthony Maddox, Regan Baker, Greg Haggan, Brenda Anderson, Kelly Hudgins, Starla Sipper, Pam Stuckey, Sandra Walker, Nanette Moore, Yolanda Davis, Sherry Morris, Chana Adkison, Teri Miles, Sabrina Rowe, Phyllis Carel, Mark Mills, Jackie Jerkins, Timothy Fleming, Steven Caldwell, Rhonda Baxley, Leda Barnes, Jimmy Caylor, Winfred Horstead, Brian Parker, Bobby Hornsby, David Caylor, Jana Burkett, Joan Andrews, Jerry Allen, Greg Kilpatrick, Regina Griswold, Claudette Caldwell, Greg DuBose, Mary Lou Johnson, Linda Edwards, Amy Haynes, Janna Lunsford, Angela Hornsby, Vickie Marler, Sherie Cardwell, Riley Senn.

Many of the hats and other articles worn in the play were made by Linda Belcher, a 4th grade student.



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The long, slender, shiny-dark leaves coming from the center of this plant make it one of the most beautiful of the super-survivors. It does very well in low light -- in fact, too much sun scorches the leaves. About the only favors it asks - besides not being overwatered - are a little more food than most other plants get and a bit more humidity than is sometimes found in some houses and apartments. You can boost room humidity by misting your plants or setting them in a tray filled with pebbles that are kept wet. Be sure to keep the plants out of the water.

SOUR CRE M SUBSTITUTE

What can you do when you suddenly find a recipe calls for sour cream and you're fresh out? Just add one tablespoon vinegar to one cup evaporated milk, let stand ten minutes, and use instead of sour cream. For this reason, as well as others, be sure to keep a few cans of milk on hand.

HIGH BLOOD PRESSURE

Do yourself and your family a favor -- have your blood pressure checked during May, national High Blood Pressure Month. Did you know that one out of every seven adults develops high blood pressure? And it presents a special problem to both women and blacks. It is the single biggest cause of death among blacks in this country, and one out of every four blacks has high blood pressure. And some women may have special high blood pressure problems associated with oral contraceptives, pregnancy and menopause.

If you find you have high blood pressure, go to your doctor at once for treatment -- although this condition can't be cured, it can be controlled. And good control can prevent serious complications such as stroke or damage to the heart or kidneys. Unfortunately, only about 12-1/2 percent of the people with high blood pressure are getting adequate treatment.

VACATION TIME

Vacation time is fast approaching when you can get away from the rat race for some fun and relaxation. But, aching feet can ruin your holiday, so make sure your shoes are comfortable when you go out to see the sights.

Choose your footwear ahead of time and break it in before you leave home. And match shoes with activities -- active sports and hiking, for instance, call for sturdy, yet comfortable footwear.

Choose shoes with flexible soles, medium heels and well-rounded toes. Make sure they fit properly. And check to see that the arch of the shoe fits your natural foot curve, since your arches support your body weight.

Wear socks or hosiery one-half inch longer than your longest toe to avoid pressure. Change shoes, socks or hosiery at least once a day. And never wear the shoes two days in a row.

Remember, if your feet are killing you, you won't have a very good time on your hard-earned vacation. So take a little extra time with your feet and make your vacation a pleasant one to remember.

New Brockton Headstart Awards Nutrition Certificates



Four -H DOT certificates were awarded to the following: Lee Anderson, Teresa Caldwell, Garrett Cole, Leigh Ann Cole, Lesia Jones, Greg Greenwood, Mary Ann Deeton, Mariel Goosby, Jennifer Jackson, Dean Knox, Attwon Myles, LaShana Stove, Tabitha Owens, Keith Terry, Correttia Shipmon, Felicia Scott, Bridget Jackson, Christopher Green, Christopher Wilkerson, Tony Gibson, Bonnie Tedtaotao, ON'Psaydon Burrows and Leaders Mrs. Katheryn Smith and Mrs. Fssie Mallisham.



Four-H DOT certificates were awarded to the following : Darcy Bass, Christyn Burrows, Theron Cole, Vincent Cole, Shelia Deeton, Vester Frazier, Harry Green, Feotis Hornsby, Kim Jones, Danny Kilpatrick, Frank Miller and Eric Newsom. Shown with the group is the director of the Headstart Center, Mrs. Marie Quinn.

Foods and nutrition lessons along with the 4-H DOT program was taught at the Headstart School in New Brockton the spring quarter, The DOT (Diets Our Thing) program is designed to help boys and girls in various communities to improve in better eating habits. The program is part of the Expanded Foods and Nutrition Program sponsored by the Cooperative Extension Service, Auburn University. Mrs. Marie Quinn is director of the Headstart Center. She coordinated the program along with other faculty members and volunteer helpers and classroom aids. The Basic Four Food Groups were stressed in all groups and many students expressed a desire to repeat these lessons in their homes and communities.

Certificates of award were made to approximately 50 students for their interest in completing a series of lessons. Sadie K. Petty, Extension Home Agent, worked closely with the leaders and members in getting the program over. Local volunteer leaders also worked with DOT groups on health as it relates to foods and nutrition. Some of the activities that were carried out were health posters, basic 4 food charts; food bingo and a bulletin board display of the basic four food groups and balanced diet.

Difolatan 4 flowable at the rate of 3 points per acre is a new Alabama recommendation for leafspot control. Here is what the label says about using Difolatan 4 flowable. Apply 3 points in 10-60 gallons of spray mix per acre with ground equipment or in 5-10 gallons spray mix with aerial equipment. Repeat application at 10-14 day intervals. Do not apply within 14 days of digging. Do not graze or feed treated vines or hay to livestock. Dr. Paul Backmon of Auburn University said that research results on Difolatol looked good the last two years.

Alabama plant pathologists recommend that fungicide applications on peanuts begin at the first sign of leafspot or no later than when peanuts are 6 inches across in any direction. Tank mix the material at the recommended rate all season. For the first application, adjust the rate by using only one nozzle over the row. Our recommendations for both fungicides and dusts are as follows:

Fungicides Amount of Formulated fungicide to use per acre

Bravo 6F used 1 1/2 pints
Difolatan 4 Flowable 3 pints
Du-Ter 6 ounces.

Du-Ter Plus Micronized Sulfur used 6 ounces plus 1.5 pounds
Du-Ter plus Flowable Sulfur 6 lb./gal used 6 ounces plus 4.0 quart

Kocide 404 S used 2 quarts
Kocide 404 plus Micronized Sulfur used 2 quarts plus 1.5 pounds.
Kocide 404 plus Flowable Sulfur 6 lb./gal used 2 quarts plus 1.0 quart.

Dust-Copper-Sulfur
1st Application 6-8 lbs.
2nd Application 10-12 lbs.
3rd Application and Rest of Season - 20-25 lbs.

Each year is different, and we may have a situation this year where we will only need to follow a 10-14 day schedule. However, if we get into frequent showers and periods of high humidity, we recommend that the interval be reduced to 7 days. Peanuts are a high value crop, and we certainly don't want to do anything that will lower yields and profits.

Yes, I am convinced that Coffee County farmers are going to do the best job they have done in controlling leafspot disease. If we can get adequate rainfall and get good harvesting weather, we should make an excellent crop. We have some of the best stands I have ever seen.

A lot of farmers had difficulty during the cool weather getting herbicides to work properly. Each year is a little different, and this was one of the years when cool weather lessened the effectiveness of herbicides, but we have to take year as it comes.

One word of caution about leafspot control: No matter how much material you use or how frequently you put it on you won't get the kind of leafspot control you need unless you get the material down on the plants. Don't let anybody do a sloppy job of putting these materials on!!

all around COFFEE county



BY TOM CASADAY, COUNTY EXTENSION CHAIRMAN

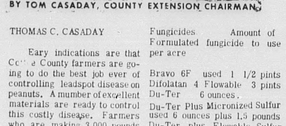
THOMAS C. CASADAY

Early indications are that Coffee County farmers are going to do the best job ever of controlling leafspot disease on peanuts. A number of excellent materials are ready to control this costly disease. Farmers who are making 3,000 pounds and above don't take any chances. They realize the importance of having healthy plants.

In a recent letter to 1,200 peanut growers in Coffee County I pointed out that it is a lot better to be three or four days too late. Most growers have good intentions to do a good job. However, about the time they get ready to begin their first application, rains will often begin and applications can be delayed as much as a week or ten days. When this occurs, leafspot gets a head start.

Difolatan 4 flowable at the rate of 3 points per acre is a new Alabama recommendation for leafspot control. Here is what the label says about using Difolatan 4 flowable. Apply 3 points in 10-60 gallons of spray mix per acre with ground equipment or in 5-10 gallons spray mix with aerial equipment. Repeat application at 10-14 day intervals. Do not apply within 14 days of digging. Do not graze or feed treated vines or hay to livestock. Dr. Paul Backmon of Auburn University said that research results on Difolatol looked good the last two years.

Alabama plant pathologists recommend that fungicide applications on peanuts begin at the first sign of leafspot or no later than when peanuts are 6 inches across in any direction. Tank mix the material at the recommended rate all season. For the first application, adjust the rate by using only one nozzle over the row. Our recommendations for both fungicides and dusts are as follows:



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COFFEE CONSERVATION
BY: Hughes Clark & Faulk

IS YOUR POND CLEAR?

One of the many questions asked of me recently related to ponds is "If I have fertilized several times and can see no response, what is the problem?" Several things can be the cause of the fertilizer not working. If you have a large watershed and the water has run around the emergency bypass several times after your fertilizing program began the problem is obvious--you are fertilizing the stream below your pond. To correct this would be very expensive, so you may want to consider catfish.

If your pond has not run around and you still can not get a bloom then you might need a sleeve around your drain pipe to take water from your lower depths leaving the fertilizer on top. If you are not sure if you have this problem call your local SCS office for further information.

LIME IMPORTANT

If you have a sleeve and your pond has not run around the spillway, then your problem could be the PH of your water. The best PH is 7.0 (neutral), however, you should receive a plank tom bloom if the PH is as low as 6.0. Liming a pond is just as important as liming a pasture and will react very similar.

HOW TO CHECK YOUR PH

Obtain a soil sample box from the extension service office. Take about 10 samples over the pound in no less than 3 feet deep of water. Allow to dry in a pan and mix well. Scoop enough to fill box and seal. Obtain a water sample of 8 ounces and send with soils sample to Auburn Soil Testing Laboratory, Auburn University, Auburn, Alabama. If pond shows to be acid you can apply up to one (1) ton of agriculture limestone or basic slag per acre. Allow time for this to incorporate with the soils before plankton bloom is expected. If done now results might begin to show by September or October.

For information on a construction and care of your fishpond call or visit your local Soil Conservation Service office in New Brockton, Alabama, phone 894-5591.

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Use Common Sense When Dieting

Dieting is almost a national pastime in the United States. With warm weather and bathing suit season here, more and more people will be trying to shed extra pounds that more revealing summer clothing won't hide.

Extension Health Education Specialist Linda Goodson says too many people try to lose weight on fad diets is common sense is unfortunately unsound and can make them sick.

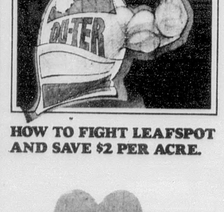
Food misinformation in the form of fad diets is common these days. You find it at magazine and newspaper stands. And drug store counters abound in all kinds of diet aids and misleading information. Radio and TV have also been guilty of giving out the wrong kind of information about food and nutrition. Many talk shows have featured food fadists who put down sensible dieting and who make claims about foods that aren't true. And, Mrs. Goodson says, there are more unreliable nutrition books being written and sold than there are sound ones.

How can you as a homemaker tell if a diet is a sound, sensible one or a fad? Ask yourself these three questions about any diet which you are thinking about following.

Does it advocate adequate nutrition? A good diet requires a balanced intake of nutrients--proteins, carbohydrates, fat, minerals, vitamins and water. Any diet which you must cut out or drastically cut down on any of these nutrients could be dangerous.

Does the diet encourage physical activity? This doesn't mean that you have to do strenuous excercises daily--but you should increase your activity through moderate exercise such as walking to help firm up as you loose weight.

If you can answer yes to these questions, the specialist says the diet is probably a wise choice. Before starting any diet, get your doctor's ok.



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ELBA HIGH SCHOOL 2ND SEMESTER HONOR ROLL

176 students made the Honor Roll at Elba High School this second semester.

Those making all "A" in the 7th grade were:
Nita Calhoun
Sherrie Donaldson
Donna Hudson
Tina Lee
Keith Lewis
Lynn Mills
Sandra Sexton
Thomas Moore
Allyson Vaughan
Chris English
Melissa Nolin

8th Grade:
Rachelle Bozeman
Betsy Brunson
Jay Harper
Vaughan Lee
Robert Jernigan
Mack Davis
Melinda Farris

9th Grade:
Charlotte Paul
Perry Fuller
Anita Mobley
Becky Wise
Melinda Smart
Phyllis Kelley
Cindy Allen
Terri Davis
Andy Bullard
Dianna Boutwell
Shelia Harrison
Susie Bruce
Marie Jones
Jim Rggers
Katrina Hayes
Toni Dubisar
Charles Ray

10th Grade
Johnny Dyess
Julie Holliday
Virginia Vaughan
Resia Walker
Claude Collier
Paula Kidd

11th Grade
Bruce Bush
Sam DeVane
Billie Simmons
Geoffrey Parker
Kenneth Bryan
Russ Cash
Russ English
Mark Hamm
Connie Carpenter
Lisa Turner
Beverly Kelley
Phyllis Harrison

12th Grade
Sara White
Mark Kelley
Brenda Oglesby
Bill Brunson
Debbie Lee
Regina Towles

A and B Honor Roll 7th Grade

Marti Crocker
Kim McGuire
Will Rushing
Mason Morrow
Danny Wambles
Tim Johnson
Lisa Fortune
Troy Brown
Pam Allen
Pattie Williams
Rhonda Danford
Luke Maddox
Scotty Messick
Russell Kelley
Deanne Williams
Chris English
Melissa Nolin
Lisa Smith
James White
Bradley Wilson

8th Grade
Jamie Hudson
Calvin Flowers
David Morrow
Valarie Oggs
Patricia Rogers
Cynthia Whatley
Lynn Zigler
Bobby Newton
Tina Goodson
John Gibson
Tim Dykes
Mark Clark
Mike Harrelson
Frank Thomas
Susan Bruecher
Patricia Lawrence
Robin Swearengen
Wanda Walker
Ronnie Kelley
Richard Brown
Ashley Young
Todd Westbrook
Don Boothe
Michael Brunson
Shannon Donaldson
Kenneth Harrison

9th Grade
Eddie Kelley
Greg Oglesby
Kathy Fuller
Tony Brinkmeier
Cindy Jacobs
Rhonda Knight
Danny Oglesby
Sandra Reynolds
Villa Owens
Laurie Fowler
Melanie Scarborough
Jackie Prescott
Lisa Westbrook
Johnny Drewery
Carl Hamm
Brenda Lucas
David Coon
Michael Terrell
Pete Cash
Lisha Rushing
Michael Henne
Donnie Lee
Lori Jones
Jackie Lee
Gary Bradshaw

10th Grade
Terry Young
Freddy Clark
Benita Flowers
Jakie Hardy
Chuck Mack
Sue Sexton
Denise Beck
Ken Martin
Rita Pope
Jan Autrey
Mike Rich

11th Grade
Les Lee
Roxie Donaldson
Renee Ham
Gail Jackson
Tommy Jernigan
Sheila Simmons
Leigh Lindsey
Tammy Young
Kenneth Bosewell
Win Westbrook
Pam Bludsworth
Sonya Knight
Donna Morrow
Keith Ellison
Kathy Whitman
Kala Kelley
Bert Morrow
Chris Walker
JoAnn Smart

12th Grade
Janis Donaldson
Teddy Barnes
Sue Donaldson
Sharon Henne
Teresa Tatum
Shirley Turner
Wanda Williams
Kathi Atcherson
Jana Brown
Hildreth Cooper
Jennifer Johnson
Donna McCollough
Susie Powell
Beth Prescott
Lisa Sharpless
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DEATH

J. B. RICHARDSON

Mr. J. B. Richardson, 52, of Rt. 1, Elba, passed away May 27, 1976, in the VA hospital in Birmingham. Funeral services were held May 29, at 2:00 p.m. at the Zion Chapel Baptist Church, with Revs. Dallas Bryant, Larry Coates and B.F. Lowery officiating. Burial followed in the church cemetery, Hayes Funeral Home of Elba directing.

Surviviros include his widow - Mrs. Lizzar Miles Richardson, of Elba; one daughter - Miss Gail Richardson, Elba; two sisters - Mrs. Ruby Shelley, Ashford, Al., Mrs. Nell Floyd, Headland; and two brothers - Shelby Richardson, Rockford, Al., Nathaniel Richardson, Selma, Al.

LEGAL NOTICES
BECAUSE THE PEOPLE MUST KNOW

THE STATE OF ALABAMA
COFFEE COUNTY
ELBA DIVISION
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT
IN EQUITY

M. L. REDDOCH
Complainant,
vs.
COURTNEY L. REDDOCH
Defendant.

TO: Courtney L. Reddoch

Notice is hereby given that Complainant has filed a Bill of Complaint against you in this court, and you are required to appear and plead to or answer the same by the 28 day of June 1976, or in thirty days thereafter a decree pro confesso may be rendered against you.

This the 25 day of May 1976.
Gladys Clark, Register
5/27/4tc.

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE

STATE OF ALABAMA
COUNTY OF COFFEE

WHEREAS, William B. McCall and Sally A. McCall, then husband and wife, executed to Margaret Allen and Lee G. Allen on the 14th day of July, 1975 a mortgage upon the real estate and personal property hereinafter described to secure an indebtedness described therein, said mortgage being recorded in the Office of the Judge of Probate of Coffee County, Alabama, at Elba, Alabama in Mortgage Book 61-A, Pages 533-534; and

WHEREAS, default has been made by the Mortgagors in the payment of the indebtedness secured by said Mortgage and in the performance of the terms of said Mortgage and said default continuing:

NOW, THEREFORE, Margaret Allen and Lee G. Allen, owners of said Mortgage, will sell, under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, at 11:30 o'clock A.M. on Monday, June 7, 1976, at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, in front of the Courthouse door of Coffee County, in the City of Elba, Alabama, the real estate and personal property embraced in said Mortgage described as follows:

One tract of land in the Elba Division of Coffee County, Alabama, together with the two store buildings, the dwelling house, together with the stock of merchandise, equipment and supplies located in said store buildings and all other improvements located on said tract of land or in the store buildings and dwelling house located on said tract of land and which said tract of land is better described as follows: Beginning at a point where the Northwest flare of County Road No. 47 intersects the Southwest right of way line of Alabama State Highway No. 167 and from said point of beginning run thence in a northwesterly direction along the Southwest boundary line of said Highway No. 167 in approximately twenty-five degrees West of North direction for a distance of 600 feet, more or less, and to the center line of Indian Creek; thence in a Westerly direction approximately sixty degrees West of North to the East margin of an unpaved public road known as the Nolin Road; thence in a Southerly direction along the Easterly margin of said Nolin dirt road for a distance of 129 feet, more or less, and to the Northeasterly right of way line of Coffee County Road No. 47; thence in the Southeasterly direction along the Northeasterly right of way line of said County Road No. 47, approximately fifty degrees - Northwest to Southeast, for a distance of 900 feet, more or less, and to the point where the Northwest flare of County Road No. 47 and State Road No. 167 intersects the Northeast right of way line of said County Road No. 47; thence in a curve along said flare to the point of beginning and further being a part of the property conveyed by Jesse E. Flowers and wife, Era Mae Flowers to Margaret Allen and husband, Lee G. Allen on September 5, 1962 and which conveyance is recorded in Deed Book 37-A, Page 405 in the Probate Office in Elba, Alabama.

Note: Said sale, and any conveyance made in consummation thereof, will be made subject to any existing Federal tax liens, if any, and-or special assessments, if any, which might adversely affect the title to subject property.

Said sale will be made for the purpose of realizing the Mortgage debt together with all expenses of this sale, including a reasonable attorney's fee.

This 17th day of May, 1976.

Margaret Allen and Lee G. Allen
Owners of said Mortgage
By: H. E. Lane, Attorney for Owners
5-20-3tc

IN THE MATTER OF THE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF J. OSCAR HUSSEY, DECEASED

IN THE PROBATE COURT OF COFFEE COUNTY, ALABAMA
ELBA DIVISION

You are hereby notified that on the 1st day of June, 1976, James L. Sawyer as Judge of the Probate Court of Coffee County, Alabama, appointed me as Executrix of the estate of J. Oscar Hussey, deceased and that you are required to file claim, if any you have within the time required by law; otherwise, the same shall be barred.

Done this 1st day of June, 1976.
MARY JOSEPHINE HUSSEY/s
6/3/3tc.

EXHIBIT "A"

CIRCUIT COURT OF JEFFERSON COUNTY, ALABAMA, BESSEMER DIVISION, BESSEMER, ALABALA

TO: Creditors of MODERN HOME LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY, and Policyholders of MODERN HOME LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY; EMERGENCY AID, Elba; GRIFFIN BURIAL, Prattville; NATIONAL SELECTIVE Montgomery; MID-SOUTH, Montgomery; A. B. LEGG, Jasper; VICE, Birmingham; FIDELITY SERVICE, Jasper; SOUTHERN BURIAL ASSOCIATION, Birmingham,

The Receiver of Modern Home Life Insurance Company has filed a petition seeking approval for the disbursement of substantially all of the funds and assets of the company in accordance with the terms of a reinsurance agreement with Vulcan Life Insurance Company heretofore approved by the Court, and the said petition has been set for hearing on the 1st day of July, 1976, at which time all interested parties may appear and be heard.

6/3/3tc.

HOSPITAL NOTES

Persons admitted to the Elba General Hospital during the period of May 25th thru June 1 were th following:

Leroy Flowers, Richard Jacobs, Rosie Lee Jackson, Kevin Grogg, Owen Fellman, Rossie Gordon, Victoria Moore, Sara Cotter, Hattie Bass, Kevin g Matthews, Alton Brown, Pastine Blackmon, Oliver Harden, Willie Dyess, Jesse R. Martin, Fred Lee, Agatha Skinner and J. B. Mills.

Persons discharged as of this time were:

David Harrison, Leroy Flowers, Richard Jacobs, Kevin Grogg, Owen Fillman, Rossie Gordon, Victoria Moore, Vincent E. Ware, Johnnie Petters, Emma McDonald, Patricia Sims, Aubrey Carnley, J. B. Richardson, Flora B. Wood, Olene Kelley, James Simmons, Nathaniel Flowers, Desmoines Grant, Ruth Jackson, Daniel Sanders, Clyde Johnson, Barbara Williams, William S. Spurlin, Lois Brooks, Henry Clark, Erma N. Harrison, Annie Tillis, Kevin Matthews and Cody Spurlin.

CARDS OF THANKS

The family of Mr. Olen Bailey wishes to take this opportunity to express our deepest appreciation to our many friends and relatives who have been a comfort to us during the illness and death, of our loved one. A special thanks for all, the food, flowers, visits and prayers. May God bless each of you.
THE OLEN BAILEY FAMILY
6/3/1ptd.

We would like to express our gratitute to the friends, relatives, doctors and nurses for kindnesses shown us during our loss. Thank you for the beautiful flowers, food, consoling words and prayers. May God bless you.
J. OSCAR HUSSEY FAMILY
6/3/1tpd.

We wish to thank all of our friends for their flowers, food, prayers, and each expression of sympathy that was shown during the death of our husband and father, J. B. Richardson.
LIZZAR & GAIL RICHARDSON
6/3/1tc.

I want to thank all the nurses and Dr. Cortes for being so nice and good to me, while in the hospital. I'll always remember you, and those that came to see me, and for the cards. God bless you all.
Mr. & MRS. SAM KING.
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In spring, a young man's fancy turns to love -- and gardening. If you're looking for a way to bring some greenery to the inside as well as the outside of your home, get a "spath" or peace-lily (Spathiphyllum commutatum or S. clevelandii) -- one of the hardiest house plants around.

The long, slender, shiny-dark leaves coming from the center of this plant make it one of the most beautiful of the super-survivors. It does very well in low light -- in fact, too much sun scorches the leaves. About the only favors it asks - besides not being overwatered - are a little more food than most other plants get and a bit more humidity than is sometimes found in some houses and apartments. You can boost room humidity by misting your plants or setting them in a tray filled with pebbles that are kept wet. Be sure to keep the plants out of the water.

SOUR CRE M SUBSTITUTE

What can you do when you suddenly find a recipe calls for sour cream and you're fresh out? Just add one tablespoon vinegar to one cup evaporated milk, let stand ten minutes, and use instead of sour cream. For this reason, as well as others, be sure to keep a few cans of milk on hand.

HIGH BLOOD PRESSURE

Do yourself and your family a favor -- have your blood pressure checked during May, national High Blood Pressure Month. Did you know that one out of every seven adults develops high blood pressure? And it presents a special problem to both women and blacks. It is the single biggest cause of death among blacks in this country, and one out of every four blacks has high blood pressure. And some women may have special high blood pressure problems associated with oral contraceptives, pregnancy and menopause.

If you find you have high blood pressure, go to your doctor at once for treatment -- although this condition can't be cured, it can be controlled. And good control can prevent serious complications such as stroke or damage to the heart or kidneys. Unfortunately, only about 12-1/2 percent of the people with high blood pressure are getting adequate treatment.

VACATION TIME

Vacation time is fast approaching when you can get away from the rat race for some fun and relaxation. But, aching feet can ruin your holiday, so make sure your shoes are comfortable when you go out to see the sights.

Choose your footwear ahead of time and break it in before you leave home. And match shoes with activities -- active sports and hiking, for instance, call for sturdy, yet comfortable foowear.

Choose shoes with flexible soles, medium heels and well-rounded toes. Make sure they fit properly. And check to see that the arch of the shoe fits your natural foot curve, since your arches support your body weight.

Wear socks or hosiery one-half inch longer than your longest toe to avoid pressure. Change shoes, socks or hosiery at least once a day. And never wear the shoes two days in a row.

Remember, if your feet are killing you, you won't have a very good time on your hard-earned vacation. So take a little extra time with your feet and make your vacation a pleasant one to remember.

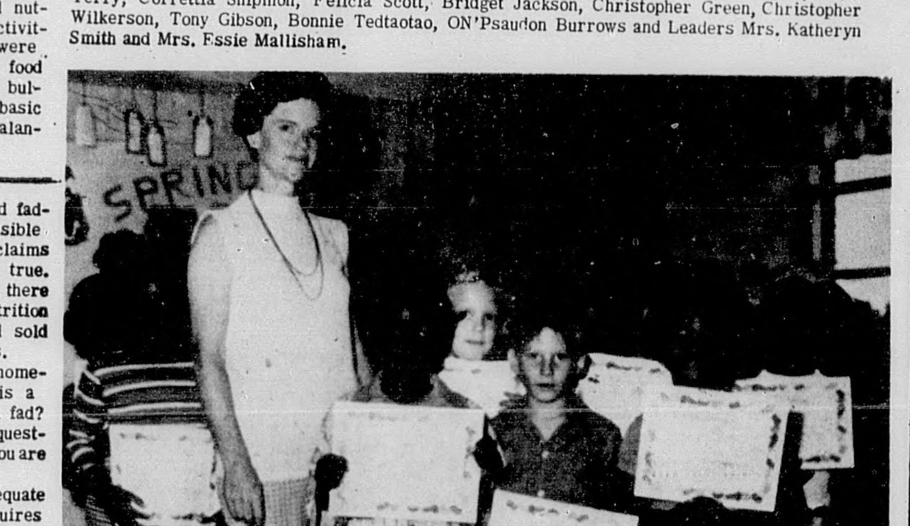
New Brockton Headstart Awards Nutrition Certificates

Foods and nutrition lessons along with the 4-H DOT program was taught at the Headstart School in New Brockton the spring quarter. The DOT (Diets Our Thing) program is designed to help boys and girls in various communities to improve in better eating habits. The program is part of the Expanded Foods and Nutrition Program sponsored by the Cooperatice Extension Service, Auburn University. Mrs. Marie Quinn is director of the Headstart Center. She coordinated the program along with other faculty members and volunteer helpers and classroom aids. The Basic Four Food Groups were stressed in all groups and many students expressed a desire to repeat these lessons in their homes and communities.

Certificates of award were made to approximately 50 students for their interest in completing a series of lessons. Sadie K. Petty, Extension Home Agent, worked closely with the leaders and members in getting the program over. Local volunteer leaders also worked with DOT groups on health as it relates to foods and nutrition. Some of the activities that were carried out were health posters, basic 4 food charts; food bingo and a bulletin board display of the basic four food groups and balanced diet.



Four -H DOT certificates were awarded to the following: Lee Anderson, Teresa Caldwell, Garrett Cole, Leigh Ann Cole, Lesia Jones, Greg Greenwood, Mary Ann Deeton, Mariel Goosby, Jennifer Jackson, Dean Knox, Attwon Myles, LaShana Stove, Tabitha Owens, Keith Terry, Correttia Shipmon, Felicia Scott, Bridget Jackson, Christopher Green, Christopher Wilkerson, Tony Gibson, Bonnie Tedtaotao, ON'Psaudon Burrows and Leaders Mrs. Katheryn Smith and Mrs. Essie Mallisham.



Four-H DOT certificates were awarded to the following : Darcy Bass, Christyn Burrows, Theron Cole, Vincent Cole, Shelia Deeton, Vester Frazier, Harry Green, Feotis Hornsby, Kim Jones, Danny Kilpatrick, Frank Miller and Eric Newsom. Shown with the group is the director of the Headstart Center, Mrs. Marie Quinn.



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Use Common Sense When Dieting

Dieting is almost a national pastime in the United States. With warm weather and bathing suit season here, more and more people will be trying to shed extra pounds that more revealing summer clothing won't hide.

Extension Health Education Specialist Linda Goodson says too many people try to loss weight on fad diets is common that are nutritionally unsound and can make them sick.

Food misinformation in the form of fad diets is common these days. You find it at magazine and newspaper stands. And drug store counters abound in all kinds of diet aids and misleading information. Radio and TV have also been guilty of giving out the wrong kind of information about food and nutrition. Many talk shows have featured food faddists who put down sensible dieting and who make claims about foods that aren't true. And, Mrs. Goodson says, there are more unrealiable nutrition books being written and sold than there are sound ones.

How can you as a homemaker tell if a diet is a sound, sensible one or a fad? Ask yourself these three questions about any diet which you are thinking about following.

Does it advocate adequate nutrition? A good diet requires a balanced intake of nutrients--proteins, carbohydrates, fat, minerals, vitamins and water. Any diet which you must cut out or drastically cut down on any of these nutrients could be dangerous.

Does the diet aim for a gradual weight loss. Crash diets almost backfire-- the pounds come back almost as fast as they came of. And, it's not good for the heart and blood vessels to seesaw with weight gains and losses.

Does the diet encourage physical activity? This doesn't mean that you have to do strenuous excercises daily-- but you should increase your activity through moderate exercise such as walking to help firm up as you loose weight.

If you can answer yes to these questions, the specialist says the diet is probably a wise choice. Before starting any diet, get your doctor's ok.



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all around COFFEE county
BY TOM CASADAY, COUNTY EXTENSION CHAIRMAN

THOMAS C. CASADAY

Eary indications are that Coffee County farmers are going to do the best job ever of controlling leadspot disease on peanuts. A number of excellent materials are ready to control this costly disease. Farmers who are making 3,000 pounds and above don't take any chances. They realize the importance of having healthy plants.

In a recent letter to 1,200 peanut growers in Coffee County I pointed out that it is a lot better to be three or four days too late. Most growers have good intentions to do a good job. However, about the time they get ready to begin their first application, rains will often begin and applications can be delayed as much as a week or ten days. When this occurs, leafspot gets a head start.

Difolatan 4 flowable at the rate of 3 points per acre is a new Alabama recommendation for leafspot control. Here is what the label says about using Difolatan 4 flowable. Apply 3 points in 10-60 gallons of spray mix per acre with ground equipment or in 5-10 gallons spray mix with aerial equipment. Repeat application at 10-14 day intervals. Do not apply within 14 days of digging. Do not graze or feed treated vines or hay to livestock. Dr. Paul Backmon of Auburn University said that research results on Difolation looked good the last two years.

Alabama plant pathologists recommend that fungicide applications on peanuts begin at the first sign of leafspot or no later than when peanuts are 6 inches across in any direction. Tank mix the material at the recommended rate all season. For the first application, adjust the rate by using only one nozzle over the row. Our recommendations for both fungicides and dusts are as follows:

Fungicides	Amount of Formulated fungicide to use per acre
Bravo 6F	used 1 1/2 pints
Difolatan 4 Flowable	3 pints
Du-Ter	6 ounces
Du-Ter Plus Micronized Sulfur	used 6 ounces plus 1.5 pounds
Du-Ter plus Flowable Sulfur 6 lb./gal	used 6 ounces plus 1.0 quart
Kicude 404 S	used 2 quarts
Kocide 404 plus Micronized Sulfur	used 2 quarts plus 1.5 pounds.
Kocide 404 plus Flowable Sulfur 6 lb. /gal	used 2 quarts plus 1.0 quart.

Dust-Copper-Sulfur
1st Application 6-8 lbs.
2nd Application 10-12 lbs.
3rd Application and Rest of Season - 20-25 lbs.

Each year is different, and we may have a situation this year where we will only need to follow a 10-14 day schedule. However, if we get into frequent showers and periods of high humidity, we recommend that the interval be reduced to 7 days. Peanuts are a high value crop, and we certainly don't want to do anything that will lower yields and profits.

Yes, I am convincex that Coffee County farmers are going to do the best job they have done in controlling leafspot disease. If we can get adequate rainfall and get good harvesting weather, we should make an excellent crop. We have some of the best stands I have ever seen.

A lot of farmers had difficulty during the cool weather getting herbicides to work properly. Each year is a little different, and this was one of the years when cool weather lessened the effectiveness of herbicides, but we have to take year as it comes.

One word of caution about leafspot control: No matter how much material you use or how frequently you put it on you won't get the kind of leafspot control you need unless you get the material down on the plants. Don't let anybody do a sloppy job of putting these materials on!!



COFFEE CONSERVATION
BY: Hughes Clark & Faulk

IS YOUR POND CLEAR?

One of the many questions asked of me recently related to ponds is, "If I have fertilized several times and can see no response, what is the problem?" Several things can be the cause of the fertilizer not working. If you have a large watershed and the water has run around the emergency by-pass several times after your fertilizing program began the problem is obvious--you are fertilizing the stream below your pond. To correct this would be very expensive, so you may want to consider catfish.

If your pond has not run around and you still can not get a bloom then you might need a sleeve around your drain pipe to take water from your lower depths leaving the fertilizer on top. If you are not sure if you have this problem call your local SCS office for further information.

LIME IMPORTANT

If you have a sleeve and your pond has not run around the spillway, then your problem could be the PH of your water. The best PH is 7.0 (neutral), however, you should receive a plank tom bloom if the PH is as low as 6.0. Liming a pound is just as important as liming a pasture and will react very similar.

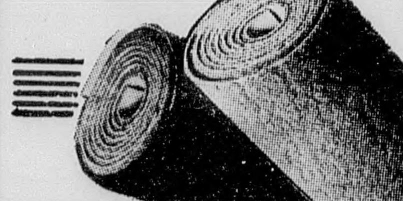
HOW TO CHECK YOUR PH

Obtain a soil sample box from the extension service office. Take about 10 samples over the pound in no less than 3 feet deep of water. Allow to dry in a pan and mix well. Scoop enough to fill box and seal. Obtain a water sample of 8 ounces and send with soils sample to Auburn Soil Testing Laboratory, Auburn University, Auburn, Alabama. If pond shows to be acid you can apply up to one (1) ton of agriculturea limestone or basic slag per acre. Allow time for this to incorporate with the souls before planktom bloom is expected. If done now results might begin to show by Septermber or October.

For information on a construction and care of your fish-pond call or visit your local Soil Conservation Service office in New Brockton, Alabama, phone 894-5591.

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Elba High School Honor Roll Students

ELBA HIGH SCHOOL 2ND SEMESTER HONOR ROLL

176 students made the Honor Roll at Elba High School this second semester.

Those making all "A" in the 7th grade were:
Nita Calhoun
Sherrie Donaldson
Donna Hudson
Tina Lee
Keith Lewis
Lynn Mills
Sandra Sexton
Thomas Moore
Allyson Vaughan
Chris English
Melissa Nolin

8th Grade:
Rachelle Bozeman
Betsy Brunson
Jay Harper
Vaughan Lee
Robert Jernigan
Mack Davis
Melinda Farris

9th Grade:
Charlotte Paul
Perry Fuller
Anita Mobley
Becky Wise
Melinda Smart
Phyllis Kelley
Cindy Allen
Terri Davis
Andy Bullard
Dianna Boutwell
Shelia Harrison
Susie Bruce
Marie Jones
Jim Rogers
Katrina Hayes
Toni Dubisar
Charles Ray

10th Grade
Johnny Dyess
Julie Holliday
Virginia Vaughan
Resia Walker
Claude Collier
Paula Kidd

11th Grade
Bruce Bush
Sam DeVane
Billie Simmons
Geoffrey Parker
Kenneth Bryan
Russ Cash
Russ English
Mark Hamm
Connie Carpenter
Lisa Turner
Beverly Kelley
Phyllis Harrison

12th Grade
Sara White
Mark Kelley
Brenda Oglesby
Bill Brunson
Debbie Lee
Regina Towles

A and B Honor Roll 7th Grade
Marti Crocker
Kim McGuire
Will Rushing
Mason Morrow
Danny Wambles
Tim Johnson
Lisa Fortune
Troy Brown
Pam Allen
Pattie Williams
Rhonda Danford
Luke Maddox
Scotty Messick
Russell Kelley
Deanne Williams
Chris English
Melissa Nolin
Lisa Smith
James White
Bradley Wilson

8th Grade
Jamie Hudson
Calvin Flowers
David Morrow
Valarie Oggs
Patricia Rogers
Cynthia Whatley
Lynn Ziglar
Bobby Newton
Tina Goodson
John Gibson
Tim Driggers
Mark Clark
Mike Harrelson
Frank Thomas
Susan Brueckner
Patricia Lawrence
Robin Swearengen
Wanda Walker
Ronnie Kelley
Richard Brown
Ashley Young
Todd Westbrook
Don Boothe
Michael Brunson
Shannon Donaldson
Kenneth Harrison

9th Grade
Eddie Kelley
Greg Oglesby
Kathy Fuller
Tony Brinkmeler
Cindy Jacobs
Rhonda Knight
Danny Oglesby
Sandra Reynolds
Villa Owens
Laurie Fowler
Melanie Scarborough
Jackie Prescott
Lisa Westbrook
Johnny Drewery
Carl Hamm
Brenda Lucas
David Coon
Michael Terrell
Pete Cash
Lisha Rushing
Michael Henne
Donnie Lee
Lori Jones

Jackie Lee
Gary Bradshaw

10th Grade
Terry Young
Freddy Clark
Benita Flowers
Jakie Hardy
Chuck Mack
Sue Sexton
Denise Beck
Ken Martin
Rita Pope
Jan Autrey
Mike Rich

11th Grade
Les Lee
Roxie Donaldson
Renee Ham
Gail Jackson
Tommy Jernigan
Shelia Simmons
Leigh Lindsey
Tammy Young
Kenneth Bosewell
Win Westbrook
Pam Bludsworth
Sonya Knight
Donna Morrow
Keith Ellison
Kathy Whitman
Kala Kelley
Bert Morrow
Chris Walker
JoAnn Smart

12th Grade
Janis Donaldson
Teddy Barnes
Sue Donaldson
Sharon Henne
Teresa Tatum
Shirley Turner
Wanda Williams
Kathi Atcherson
Jana Brown
Hildreth Cooper
Jennifer Johnson
Donna McCollough
Susie Powell
Beth Prescott
Lisa Sharpless
Lynne Webber



DEATH

J. B. RICHARDSON

Mr. J. B. Richardson, 52, of Rt. 1, Elba, passed away May 27, 1976, in the VA hospital in Birmingham. Funeral services were held May 29, at 2:00 p.m. at the Zion Chapel Baptist Church, with Revs. Dallas Bryant, Larry Coates and B.F. Lowery officiating. Burial followed in the church cemetery, Hayes Funeral Home of Elba directing.

Surviviros include his widow - Mrs. Lizzar Miles Richardson, of Elba; one daughter - Miss Gail Richardson, Elba; two sisters - Mrs. Ruby Shelley, Ashford, Al., Mrs. Nell Floyd, Headland; and two brothers - Shelby Richardson, Rockford, Al., Nathaniel Richardson, Selma, Al.

LEGAL NOTICES
BECAUSE THE PEOPLE MUST KNOW

THE STATE OF ALABAMA, COFFEE COUNTY
ELBA DIVISION
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT
IN EQUITY

M. L. REDDOCH
Complainant,
vs.
COURTNEY L. REDDOCH
Defendant.
TO: Courtney L. Reddoch

Notice is hereby given that Complainant has filed a Bill of Complaint against you in this court, and you are required to appear and plead to or answer the same by the 28 day of June 1976, or in thirty days thereafter a decree pro confesso may be rendered against you.

This the 25 day of May 1976.
Gladys Clark, Register
5/27/4tc.

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE

STATE OF ALABAMA
COUNTY OF COFFEE

WHEREAS, William B. McCall and Sally A. McCall, then husband and wife, executed to Margaret Allen and Lee G. Allen on the 14th day of July, 1975 a mortgage upon the real estate and personal property hereinafter described to secure an indebtedness described therein, said mortgage being recorded in the Office of the Judge of Probate of Coffee County, Alabama, at Elba, Alabama in Mortgage Book 61-A, Pages 533-534; and

WHEREAS, default has been made by the Mortgagors in the payment of the indebtedness secured by said Mortgage and in the performance of the terms of said Mortgage and said default continuing:

NOW, THEREFORE, Margaret Allen and Lee G. Allen, owners of said Mortgage, will sell, under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, at 11:30 o'clock A.M. on Monday, June 7, 1976, at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, in front of the Courthouse door of Coffee County, in the City of Elba, Alabama, the real estate and personal property embraced in said Mortgage described as follows:

One tract of land in the Elba Division of Coffee County, Alabama, together with the two store buildings, the dwelling house, together with the stock of merchandise, equipment and supplies located in said store buildings and all other improvements located on said tract of land or in the store buildings and dwelling house located on said tract of land and which said tract of land is better described as follows: Beginning at a point where the Northwest flare of County Road No. 47 intersects the Southwest right of way line of Alabama State Highway No. 167 and from said point of beginning run thence in a northwesterly direction along the Southwest boundary line of said Highway No. 167 in approximately twenty-five degrees West of North direction for a distance of 600 feet, more or less, and to the center line of Indian Creek; thence in a Westerly direction approximately sixty degrees West of North to the East margin of an unpaved public road known as the Nolin Road; thence in a Southerly direction along the Easterly margin of said Nolin dirt road for a distance of 129 feet, more or less, and to the Northeasterly right of way line of Coffee County Road No. 47; thence in the Southeasterly direction along the Northeasterly right of way line of said County Road No. 47, approximately fifty degrees Northwest to Southeast, for a distance of 900 feet, more or less, and to the point where the Northwest flare of County Road No. 47 and State Road No. 167 intersects the Northeast right of way line of said County Road No. 47; thence in a curve along said flare to the point of beginning and further being a part of the property conveyed by Jesse E. Flowers and wife, Era Mae Flowers to Margaret Allen and husband, Lee G. Allen on September 5, 1962 and which conveyance is recorded in Deed Book 37-A, Page 405 in the Probate Office in Elba, Alabama.

Note: Said sale, and any conveyance made in consummation thereof, will be made subject to any existing Federal tax liens, if any, and-or special assessments, if any, which might adversely affect the title to subject property.

Said sale will be made for the purpose of realizing the Mortgage debt together with all expenses of this sale, including a reasonable attorney's fee.

This 17th day of May, 1976.

Margaret Allen and Lee G. Allen
Owners of said Mortgage
By: H. E. Lane, Attorney for Owners
5-20-3tc

IN THE MATTER OF THE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF J. OSCAR HUSSEY, DECEASED

IN THE PROBATE COURT OF COFFEE COUNTY, ALABAMA ELBA DIVISION

You are hereby notified that on the 1st day of June, 1976, James L. Sawyer as Judge of the Probate Court of Coffee County, Alabama, appointed me as Executrix of the estate of J. Oscar Hussey, deceased and that you are required to file claim, if any you have within the time required by law; otherwise, the same shall be barred.

Done this 1st day of June, 1976.
MARY JOSEPHINE HUSSEY/s
6/3/3tc.

EXHIBIT "A"

CIRCUIT COURT OF JEFFERSON COUNTY, ALABAMA, BESSEMER DIVISION, BESSEMER, ALABALA

TO: Creditors of MODERN HOME LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY, and Policyholders of MODERN HOME LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY; EMERGENCY AID, Elba; GRIFFIN BURIAL, Prattville; NATIONAL SELECTIVE, Montgomery; MID-SOUTH, Montgomery; A. B. LEGG, Jasper; VICE, Birmingham; FIDELITY SERVICE, Jasper; SOUTHERN BURIAL ASSOCIATION, Birmingham.

The Receiver of Modern Home Life Insurance Company has filed a petition seeking approval for the disbursement of substantially all of the funds and assets of the company in accordance with the terms of a reinsurance agreement with Vulcan Life Insurance Company heretofore approved by the Court, and the said petition has been set for hearing on the 1st day of July, 1976, at which time all interested parties may appear and be heard.
6/3/3tc.

HOSPITAL NOTES

Persons admitted to the Elba General Hospital during the period of May 25th thru June 1 were th following:

Leroy Flowers, Richard Jacobs, Rosie Lee Jackson, Kevin Grogg, Owen Fellman, Rossie Gordon, Victoria Moore, Sara Cotter, Hattie Bass, Keving Matthews, Alton Brown, Pastine Blackmon, Oliver Harden, Willie Dyess, Jesse R. Martin, Fred Lee, Agatha Skinner and J. B. Mills.

Persons discharged as of this time were:

David Harrison, Leroy Flowers, Richard Jacobs, Kevin Grogg, Owen Fillman, Rossie Gordon, Victoria Moore, Vincent E. Ware, Johnnie Petters, Emma McDonald, Patricia Sims, Aubrey Carnley, J. B. Richardson, Flora B. Wood, Olene Kelley, James Simmons, Nathaniel Flowers, Desmoines Grant, Ruth Jackson, Daniel Sanders, Clyde Johnson, Barbara Williams, William S. Spurlin, Lois Brooks, Henry Clark, Erma N. Harrison, Annie Tillis, Kevin Matthews and Cody Spurlin.

CARDS OF THANKS

The family of Mr. Olen Bailey wishes to take this opportunity to express our deepest appreciation to our many friends and relatives who have been a comfort to us during the illness and death, of our loved one. A special thanks for all, the food, flowers, visits and prayers. May God bless each of you.
THE OLEN BAILEY FAMILY
6/3/1ptd.

We would like to express our gratitude to the friends, relatives, doctors and nurses for kindnesses shown us during our loss. Thank you for the beautiful flowers, food, consoling words and prayers. May God bless you.
J. OSCAR HUSSEY FAMILY
6/3/1tpd.

We wish to thank all of our friends for their flowers, food, prayers, and each expression of sympathy that was shown during the death of our husband and father, J. B. Richardson.
LIZZAR & GAIL RICHARDSON

6/3/1tc.

I want to thank all the nurses and Dr. Cortes for being so nice and good to me, while in the hospital. I'll always remember you, and those that came to see me, and for the cards. God bless you all.
Mr. & MRS. SAM KING, CHILDREN

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DORSEY GIVES TO RESCUE SQUAD

Dorsey Trailers presented a donation to the Elba Rescue Squad on Monday of this week. This donation was to kick off the annual fund drive by the Rescue Squad.

The check was presented by Mr. Sam Collier, right, on behalf of Dorsey Trailers. Accepting the donation was Rescue Squad member Avery Jackson, center, a charter member of the rescue squad and a veteran of 22 years with Dorsey Trailers and now retired.

Looking on is new personnel director, Mark H. Holl, who was on his first day at Dorseys when the photo was made. Holl plans to move his wife and five children to Elba as soon as housing is found. Presently they are staying with relatives in Enterprise. Within a few months they plan to build a home in Elba.

Jackson said upon accepting the check that, "It is a pleasure to come to Dorsey because I know I will get a good donation and the knowledge that the work of the volunteers who give their time without pay is appreciated."

Mr. Collier told Jackson that the Rescue Squad was truly appreciated by the employees and management at Dorsey Trailers. He noted that Dorsey has helped the squad every year and hopes to continue the policy.

Tournament Set For Domino Players In Andy

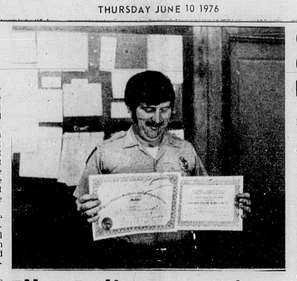
Plans are well on the the way to being finalized for the State of Alabama Bicentennial Domino Tournament, to be held in Andalusia starting July 16.

Sponsored by the Andalusia Rotary Club, the tournament is designed to pick the "best of the best," and be the first of an annual program which the Rotary Club hopes will become a national contest to select the best domino players in the nation each year.

"We would like to see plenty of people from throughout the state enter," overall chairman Charles Tomberlin said this week as he helped finalize plans for the giant tournament.

Plans for the Statewide tournament developed out of a local domino tournament held for the Rotary Club several months ago. "We had so much fun we wanted to give everyone a chance to participate," Tomberlin explained. "Opp has it's Rattlesnake Rodeo, and Raleigh, Mississippi is the site of the national Tobacco Spitting Contest each year."

Individuals or clubs interested in participating should contact the Andalusia Rotary Club, Dr. Charles Tomberlin, Domino Chairman, P. O. Box 27, Andalusia, Al. 36420, or telephone 222-5673 for more information. Detailed information regarding the tournament rules and regulations will be forwarded to all entries.



Elba Policemen Wins Honors At School

Elba policeman Jimmy Cullifer was top marksman at the Southwest Alabama Regional Law Enforcement Academy recently. Cullifer was at the school taking the required hours of formal training required by Alabama law. He shot a 98 out of a possible 100 on the pistol range to win the honor.

The school is held at the James H. Faulkner State Jr. College in Bay Minette. Cullifer completed the school on June 4th and has returned to his duties with the Elba police department.

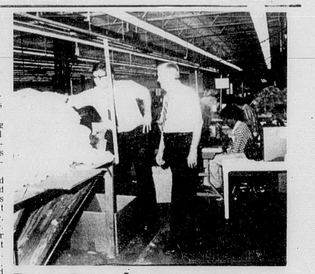
Girl Scouts To Gather At Humming Hills

Plans are now being completed for Girl Scout Day Camps in South Central Al. Girl Scout Council. Camp Running Hills located in the beautiful 267 acre reservation in northwest Coffee County serves girls from Coffee-Geneva Association. About 75 girls from Geneva, Elba, Enterprise and New Brockton are registered for camp this year. Campers are assigned to a Camp Unit in their age levels-Brownie, Fly-Up, Junior and Cadette. In addition to activities in their units the girls have waterfront activities and arts and crafts. Camp is the week of June 14-18.

An over night is enjoyed on Thursday night by all girls except Brownies. A feature of the overnight is campfire followed by refreshments. Parents and friends are invited to attend. A mystery guest is expected to attend on Thursday and talk to the girls.

Archery is also being offered to the older girls. A camp nurse is on duty at all times and girls are instructed in health and safety rules. Nature study, camp skills, outdoor cooking, hiking, song and games all are enjoyable features of camp. The camp begins each day at 8:30 with a flag ceremony and closes each afternoon at 3:00 p.m. with a closing flag ceremony. Girls come from each town by car-pool.

Attending from Elba will be-Brownies: Rachel Cowart, Lesley Ham, Kim Kelley, Karen Morrow, Paige Morrow, Renee Owens; Fly-ups-Cheryl Brinkmeir, Sherrie Deupree, Amy Ellis, Louise Fillman, Jenna Fleming, Ceina Hayes, Stacey Hornsby; Juniors-Stacey Carpenter, Margaret Ann Cox, Laura Fillman, Karen Grider, Tiffany Harper, Aleah Hudson, Sherri Kennett, Susie King, Sherry Miller, Millie Pearce, Tab Powe, Lulu Powell, Tammy Robinson, Stephnie Smith, Dawna Williams, Benita Willis; Cadettes-Candy Berry, Suzie Bruckner, Paula Fillman, Sandra Stirewalt. Included on the staff will be from Elba-Waterfront- Will Martin, program Aides-Susie Bruce and Vila Owens. Mrs. Willard Martin and Mr. Byron S. Bruce, Jr. serve on sight committee. Mrs. Bryon Bruce serves as refreshment chairman for the overnight.



Ben Brock Accepts Kleinerts Position

Ben Brock, right, has been named Personnel Manager at Kleinert's of Elba according to an announcement made this week. Above he is being shown one of the company's products by Glenn Powe, who is presently the Personnel Manager and will move to Security and Safety Officer for the entire corporation.

Brock will take over the full duties on June 28. Presently he is studying the techniques and functions of the company by visiting various outlets around the nation. Among the plants and offices he has visited in the last few weeks, are Chicago, Kufstown, Atlanta, and Ashville. Some of these, idcluding the Chicago visit, are to Sears operations. Kleinert's produces a number of items for Sears outlets and catalog sales.

City Officials Opposed To Prison Work Release Program Here

The Elba City Council met Friday in a special meeting to discuss information received on work-release programs such as announced for Elba by the Alabama prisons authority.

Mayor Sam Sawyer was out of town and Mayor Pro-tem Charles Ellis presided over the meeting.

The council heard a detailed report prepared by Chief Johnston at the requests of the council. Johnston reported to the council from several sources in North Carolina, which has a similiar work release programs for state prisoners.

Johnston noted that the purpose of the program was to familiarize prisoners with society before turning them loose but there is a question on the success of the North Carolina project. Johnston could get no one to explain why 76% of those on the program returned to jail when only 70% of the general jail population returned.

The man who heads the program in N.C. told Johnston it was working. Several police chiefs were not so strong for the project. The chief in Smithville, North Carolina, was hostile to the program, according to Johnston. He recommended that Elba get rid of it now if possible. He stated that every 30 to 60 days most of these people were involved in some kind of crime in the community. Other chiefs didn't cite such high rates but did note an increase.

One chief told Johnston the program worked OK at first until they started placing prisoners charged with the more violent crimes on the program and then the trouble began.

Johnston noted that there would be 45 prisoners in the Elba program and they would be people who had 18 months and less to serve on their prison term. This contrasts with five years in the North Carolina program.

They will be under minimum security, some will work at public jobs and about 25 will be used by the state highway department. A number of counselors will be employed to help the men prepare themselves for return to society.

Councilman Virgil Coleman was the first to state his opposition to the project and he said, "we should flatly oppose this project," Coleman noted that he worked with placing men recently released from prison on jobs and it was a hard job. According to Coleman, seldom will a company hire a recently released "con" if his family doesn't live or move to the area.

Councilman Ronnie Vaughan expressed doubt that Elba had any choice in the matter but that he was personally opposed to the project.

Councilman Charles Ellis stated, "What worries me is not how good it is for the prisoners but the well being of the people in the community."

Councilman Ben Carpenter noted that he had to return to work but he was opposed to the project and if any motion is made opposing the project to be sure his vote was counted.

Councilman Wayland Sharpless brought up another angle of the matter when he noted that this was a potential rehab program and "we should look into this before we take any action." He continued with, "I don't think all this is bad."

The council approved a motion by Virgil Coleman that "this council take every legal and political means to prevent this program from coming to the Elba area." The police chief was instructed to check with the city attorney and see if there were any legal means of keeping it out of Elba.

Kenneth Strong To Practice Here

Kenneth D. Strong of Elba, Ala., is among the 21 students who will recieve their O.D. degrees from the School of Optometry, The University of Alabama in Birmingham (UAB), during graduation ceremonies June 6. Strong plans to practice in Elba, with his father-in-law Dr. E. M. Warr.

The graduation ceremonies are scheduled to begin at 5 p. m. in the Birmingham Municipal Auditorium located at 8th Ave. North and 20th St.

He is the son of Dr. William D. Strong of Enterprise, Ala. He and his wife Sara have already begun construction of a new home in Elba.

Lions Hear Hayes Tell Of Utility Operations

Robert Stephens, Lion Vice-president, opened the regular meeting of the Elba Lions Club Tuesday evening following a delicious fried chicken supper. Bill Bruce, Jr. introduced the guest speaker, Mr. Charles Hayes, III, who presented a very informative program about the history and current operation of the Elba Utilities Department. Mr. Hayes stressed the importance of communication between the Elba Utilities Board and the residents and businesses of Elba. The following are excerpts from Mr. Hayes' comments.

The electrical system is the biggest department under the control of the Elba Utilities Board. It was purchased in 1938 at a price of $31,000.00. This was during the administration of Mayor L. P. Mullins. Many improvements and expensions have been made on the original system, and the present system is valued at $2,264,630.62.

The residents of Elba sometimes become concerned about electric rates here in Elba, when they read about complaints from customers of Alabama Power Company, especially those coming from Dothan. This concern is not well founded said Hayes. The power used by the Elba Utilities Board is purchased from the Alabama Electric cooperative, a non-profit generation and transmission cooperative owned and operated by individual electric cooperatives and municipal electric systems, such as the Elba Utilities Board. Mr. Hayes serves on the board of directors of the Alabama Electric Cooperative.

The Elba Utilities Board has thirteen employees on its payroll. Each and every one of these persons' services are essential to the operation of the electrical system. On the other hand, a commercial interest such as Alabama Power must pay out costs for overhead, or extra costs such as salaries of company executives, public relations personnel, taxes and dividends to its stockholders. None of these overhead costs are in the cost of electric current supplied by the Elba Utilities Board, since the electric system in Elba is owned and operated by Elba. The Utilities Board Chairman does not receive any salary whatsoever, nor does any member of the Utilites Board, composed of two businessmen, Mr. Charles Hayes III, Chairman; and Mr. Oscar Vaughan, Jr., and Councilmen Ben Carpenter and John Waylon Sharpless, and Mayor Sam Sawyer.

Mr. Hayes emphasized that the Utilities Board "runs a tight ship," and has "cut all the fat" of the Utilities Department, having a total of only thirteen persons on the payroll. He pointed out that the Elba Utilities Board does not come under the Alabama Public Commission regulation, since it is customer owned and operated. He said, "when you pay higher power rates for your home or business, Charlie Hayes pays those same rates for his home and for Hayes Funeral Home. I want the lowest power rates possible, because I'm in this just like you are!"

At the conclusion of his talk, Mr. Hayes answered questions put to him by Lions. After there were no further questions, the meeting was adjourned.

Local Girls In Dance Review

"An Evening of Dance, 1976", the twenty-third annual production of the Dorothy Rainer Sellars School of Dance, will be presented at the Opp High School Auditorium on Thursday and Friday evenings, June 10 and 11. Curtain time is 8:00 o'clock. There is no charge for admission.

"An Evening of Dance" is widely hailed as the finest presentation of amateur students in this area. Its director, Mrs. Sellars, has received national recognition for the high quality and professional-like standards maintained in this production. Her most recent honor is selection to appear in the 1976 edition of "Personalities of the South" in recognition of past achievements in the arts and outstanding service to community and state.

"An Evening of Dance, 1976" is a program of dances set to music of American composers. Among these are some of the all-time greats: Irving Berlin, Jerome Kern, Lerner and Lowe, Rodgers and Hart, Cole Porter, Creamer and Layton, Leroy Anderson, Victor Herbert and others.

The one hundred twenty-one students performing are from Andalusia, Opp, Florala, Elba, and Kinston, Alabama; Crestview, DeFuniak, Paxton, Baker, and Laurel Hill, Florida.

Elba students are: Margaret Cox, Michelle Cox, and Kathy Tucker. From Kinston: Cecilla Patterson, Kathy Patterson and Joan Stephens.



Lisa Sharpless Receives Scholarship

Elizabeth Sharpless, of Elba, is the recipient of a George C. Wallace Leadership Scholarship to Troy State University.

The announcement was made by TSU President Dr. Ralph W. Adams.

A 1976 graduate of Elba High School, Miss Sharpless was president of the school's student council and editor of the school's newspaper.

She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph C. Sharpless of Elba.

Grantham Gets Tip On Billy Ray Myers

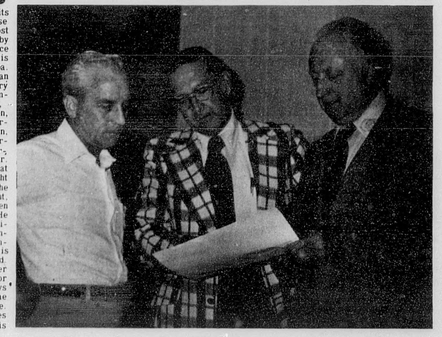
Sheriff Neil Grantham received a report last weekend that convicted rapist Billy Ray Myers, who escaped from custody while being taken from an Enterprise courtroom was in the Marianna, Florida area. An investigation revealed that Myers had indeed been in the area but had gotten suspicions and had left hurriedly.

Grantham said he had no idea which direction the escapee had gone from there, but that he had sent an all points bulletin to Florida law enforcement agencies and that sooner or later Myers would be caught.

Miss Hatcher At Ridgecrest

Marcia Hatcher of Elba is working at Ridgecrest, North Carolina this summer on the staff of the Ridgecrest Baptist Conference Center.

Miss Hatcher, the daughter of E. H. Hatcher, Jr., is a student at Enterprise State Junior College. As a Ridgecrest staffer, she will help accomodate an estimated 35,000 guests this summer.



S. A. Skelton, vice president, Madison Construction Company, Ozark was low bidder on the Enterprise State Junior College Fine Arts Building and Administration Building renovation project. Shown looking over bids with Skelton, from left, is Reuben O. Jones, Jr., architect, Pearson Humphries, Jones and Associates, Inc., Montgomery, and B. A. Forrester, president, ESJC.

Bids Open For ESJC Building

Bids for the first unit of the Fine Arts Building and office renovations in the Administration Building at Enterprise State Junior College were opened Tuesday, May 25, and Madison Construction Company, Ozark, was low with a total base and alternates bill of $570,844.

B. A. Forrester, president, said construction will begin as soon as the signing of contract has been completed. "We hope to start construction within ten days," he said.

Madison Construction Company built the ESJC gymnasium in 1966-67.

"Alterations in the Administration Building should be complete before fall quarters during that quarter when enrollment is usually at its peak."

The plans originally included a Maintenance Building but cost exceeded money available by approximately $180,000 so the project had to be rebid. without the Maintenance Building.

Forrester said the junior college is in dire need of additional space for classrooms and offices and completion of this project will bring welcome relief for administrators, and students.

CITY ELECTIONS OFFICIAL

A legal notice appears in this issue of THE ELBA CLIPPER formally calling for Elba city elections. As required by Alabama law the notice must be issued by June 15 and the election will be on August 10. Any run-off election will be held on September 14. Newly elected city officials will take office at the first regular meeting in October (October 5th in Elba).

Several current office holders have announced intentions to seek re-election this year. They include Mayor Sam Sawyer, Councilman Ronnie Vaughan and John W. Sharpless.

Councilman Virgil Coleman has indicated that he doesn't expect to be a candidate this year. Coleman cited health purposes for his decision. He recently was confined to an Enterprise hospital and spent some time in the intensive care unit.

Councilman Ben Carpenter and Charles Ellis have not announced their intentions for the upcoming elections, both stating they have not made up their minds at this point.

Several other citizens have publicly stated intentions to seek a seat on the Elba city government in the upcoming elections. They include L. F. Inman (for mayor), Ethan Ridgeaux (city council seat being vacated by Virgil Coleman), Donnie Morrow (city council) and Robert Rolsom (mayor). Folsom has been telling people for months he was running for mayor but when asked last week by the DAILY LEDGER of Enterprise if he was a candidate, Folsom told the reporters he had no comment at this time.

A number of others have admitted they are considering making the race but have not made a statement.

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